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FARM TRENDS

A summary of market and commodity news for the past week

by Dick Wanner

Nothing New Under The Rising Sun

The government was paying farmers to keep their land out of production at a time when there were severe food shortages in other parts of the world. Thus, production controls came under attack politically. As a result, there's a new farm program for 1974 to increase output and reduce fallow land.

But, before you start jumping to conclusions on this one, we should point out the situation above has to do with Japan. That's right, Japan! And, the Japanese government did pay Japanese farmers $460 per acre last year to divert their rice lands to fallow.

This year, however, the Japanese have changed the program to one of incentives -- direct payments to farmers. The aim: To balance the domestic supply and demand for rice by converting rice land to other crops, principally wheat and soybeans. The reason: Japanese soybean production has declined from 500,000 metric tons in 1955 to 100,000 tons last year, while wheat output dropped from 1.5 million tons to 200,000 tons during the same period.

Under the new program, farmers will get $535 per acre for converting rice lands to other crops. They'll get direct payments at $157 per ton for soybeans, $126 per ton for wheat, plus guaranteed prices of $472 per ton for soybeans, $274 per ton for wheat. In addition, wheat farmers in certain areas who increase the size of their operations by more than 12 acres will receive management incentive payments of $756.

Will it work? Only in part. The potential gross return per acre for rice will be $1,175, assuming a 1.8 tons per acre yield, plus the guaranteed support price. On the other hand, the potential return for soybeans will be $1,007 per acre if the yield is ¾ of a ton per acre. The gross return for wheat is only $638, based on a 1 ton per acre yield and if management payments are received.

The biggest grin of James Wylie's young life appeared on his face when judge Herman Purdy slapped the 17-year-old's steer on the rump in the final tension-breaking move of the junior steer show held Thursday at the Farm Show. Wylie of Nottingham, Chester County, showed a 1250-pound crossbred.

Thousands Brave Weather For 58th Pa. Farm Show

The weatherman dug deeply into his bag of tricks this week to prepare his traditional welcome for visitors to the 58th Annual Pennsylvania Farm Show. Nothing could keep the crowds at home, though, as 135,000 visitors appeared on Monday, 155,000 on Tuesday, 170,000 Wednesday, and on Thursday, one of the worst weather days, 175,000 showed up. Thursday's attendance was reportedly a record for the day.

A few records may have been set in competition by local contestants, too, especially in junior beef and sheep competition. In the junior steer show held Thursday, a Chester County youth showed the grand champion animal, a 1250-pound crossbred. Lancaster County had the reserve champion, and all the other top prizes went to either Lancaster or Chester County youths.

A crossbred steer owned by James Wylie, of RD2, Nottingham, was crowned the best junior steer in extremely close judging. Wylie is a member of the Chester County 4-H Baby Beef Club.

Reserve grand champion steer was exhibited by Gary Brubaker, of 345 Running Pump Rd., Lancaster, also a crossbred. A 4-H member, Gary is a member of the Lancaster County 4-H Baby Beef Club.

Champion Angus was shown by Barbara Sickler, of RD1, West Chester, Chester County. Reserve champion Angus was shown by John Holloway, of 32 W. Street Road, West Chester. Both showmen are members of the Chester County 4-H Baby Beef Club.

Champion Hereford was exhibited by Ed Hess, of RD1, Strasburg, Lancaster County. Cynthia Shank, of RD1, Conestoga, Lancaster County, showed the reserve champion Hereford. Both are members of the Lancaster County 4-H Baby Beef Club.

Judge for the popular event was Herman Purdy, professor emeritun of animal science at Penn State University.

In beef breeding competition, a reserve championship ribbon went to Marshall C, a senior yearling Angus bull, owned by Conrad L. and Nancy C. Grove, Downington, Chester County. In junior beef breeding, Darlene F. Rohrbaugh, Seven Valleys RD2, York County, showed the reserve champion Hereford.

Brubaker, Herr and Morgan were names which dominated sheep competition at the Farm Show. In Monday's competition, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Herr,

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Leon Kreider, left, and Don Trimble said it all with plaques, signs and smiles on Wednesday at the completion of Brown Swiss judging at the Pennsylvania Farm Show. Kreider and Trimble are partners in a Peach Bottom dairy farm.

A New Face For Lancaster Farming

There's a new look to Lancaster Farming. Our page layout has gone from five columns to six, partly because of a need to conserve newsprint and partly from a desire to use a newer type face which we feel is a little more readable.

We hope you like our new face.

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Local Livestock Market, Auction News

Lancaster Market

Monday, January 7

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	666	148	801	162
Last Monday	579	127	408	136
Last Year	610	153	676	350

CATTLE: Compared to last Wednesday, slaughter steers uneven, high-Good to Prime 1.00-1.50 higher, instances 2.00 higher, Standard to low-Good strong to 1.00 higher; cows weak to 1.00 lower; bulls strong to 50 higher. Supply included 588 in afternoon auction.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 950-1300 lb. 45.10-47.50, including load 1070-1150 lb. 47.10-47.50, with a part load Choice 1050-1100 lb. yield grade 2 48.00-48.25; high-Good to low-Choice 43.25-45.00; Good 40.00-44.25; Standard and low-Good 38.00-40.60.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 900-1100 lb. 42.50-45.35, few 45.60-46.85; Good 40.10-42.50.

COWS: Utility and high-dressing Cutter 33.00-35.00; Cutter 31.00-34.50; Canner and low-Cutter 28.75-30.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 950-1250 lb. 45.50-47.10; Good 42.75-45.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lb. 44.00-46.35, several 47.25-49.75, five head 1400-1930 lb. 50.50-50.85; yield grade 2 1000-1600 lb. 41.00-44.00, few 39.25-41.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers 1.00-2.00 lower.

VEALERS: Prime 78.00-82.00, couple 83.00; Choice 70.00-78.00; Good 62.00-70.00; Standard 52.00-62.00; Utility 90-120 lb. 41.00-48.00, 65-85 lb. 35.00-41.00.

SHEEP: Wooled lambs 1.00-2.00 higher.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice and Prime 75-105 lb. 40.00-42.00, few small lots 42.50; Good 65-100 lb. 37.00-40.00.

New Holland Dairy Auction

Wednesday, January 9

Reported receipts of 97 cows, 4 heifers. Market lower than last weeks market.

Load Pa. cows, fresh, 615-770.

Load Franklin County cows, fresh, 530-820.

Load New York State cows, fresh, 560-790.

Herd dispersal of 40 head of Northampton County cows, all stages of production, 395-650.

Locally consigned cows, 350-800.

Springing heifers, 450-530.

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Vintage Auction

Tuesday, January 8

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep
Today	786	647	12
Last Week	454	430	95
Last Year	775	641	50

CATTLE: Trading active on slaughter steers and heifers, with cows under narrow demand, bulls moderately active on small supply. Trends not comparable because market unreported for two weeks.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High-Choice and Prime 1100-1300 lb. 48.00-48.75; Choice 950-1400 lb. 45.50-48.85, around dozen head 49.10-50.10; high-Good and low-Choice 44.50-46.50; Good 41.00-45.50; Standard and low-Good 39.25-41.60; load Good 1300-1450 lb. Holsteins 39.85-42.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 875-1100 lb. 42.00-44.25.

COWS: Utility and high-dressing Cutter 31.50-33.00, few 33.25-34.50; Cutter 30.00-31.75; Canner and low-Cutter 28.50-30.50.

BULLOCKS: Few Choice 46.00-48.85, with a couple Good 42.50-45.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1000-1600 lb. 43.75-45.50, few yield 1 46.10-48.85.

VEAL CALVES: No comparable trend.

VEALERS: Prime 75.00-78.00, few 81.00-83.00; Choice 68.00-73.00; Good 58.00-65.00; Standard 45.00-55.00; Utility 90-120 lb. 40.00-47.00, 65-85 lb. 35.00-40.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 100-125 lb. Holstein heifers 50.00-60.00, few 80-105 lb. 40.00-45.00; bulk 100-125 lb. bull calves 59.00-63.00, one 25-head lot 112 lb. 66.00.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume for a market test.

Green Dragon Hay

Friday, January 4

62 loads of hay, including: Alfalfa 45.00-67.00, few 83.00-98.00; Timothy, few 37.00-51.00; Mixed hay 35.00-61.00, individual 92.00; Clover, few 39.00-61.00.

29 loads of straw 44.00-51.00.

Corn, seven loads 69.00-78.00.

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Tuesday, January 8

420 Head Cattle

STEERS: Few choice 1100-1400 pounds 45.00-48.25; Choice 1050-1250 45.00-48.00; Good 44.10-46.00; Standard 41.00-43.00.

HEIFERS: Few Choice 43.10-46.50; Good 39.25-42.75.

COWS: Utility and High Dressing Cutter 31.25-33.75, couple to 34.00; Cutters 29.50-32.00; Canners 28.75-30.75; Shells down to 25.00.

BULLOCKS: Few Choice 46.00-48.75; Good 43.75-45.60; few Standard 42.00-43.50; few Utility 40.75-41.60.

BULLS: No. 1-2 1200-1525 pounds 43.85-46.85.

304 Head Veal Calves

Prime vealers 70.00-72.00; Choice 65.00-70.00; Good 56.00-65.00; Utility 90-110 pounds 39.50-42.00; 70-85 36.50-40.00.

Farm calves: Holstein bulls 90-120 pounds 47.00-66.00; holstein heifers 90-150 63.00-90.00

423 Head Hogs

No. 1-3 195 240 pounds Barrows and Gilts 42.60-43.25; lot to 43.50; 2-3 215-250 41.00-42.25; 1-3 350-600 sows 35.00-37.25; boars 31.00-32.25.

6 Feeder Pigs

Not enough of any one grade to establish a market.

22 Sheep

Few Choice 80-90 pounds wooled slaughter lambs 35.00-37.00; few Good 70-100 28.00-34.00; Slaughter ewes 12.00-18.00

Local Grain

Thursday, January 10

These prices are made up of the average prices quoted by five participating local feed and grain concerns. It should be noted, however, that not every dealer handles each commodity. All prices are per bushel except ear corn which is per ton.

The average local grain prices quoted Thursday, January 10, 1974, are as follows:

	Bid+	Offered+
Ear Corn, New	62.00	70.00
Shelled Corn	2.79	3.15
Oats, Local	1.22	1.71
Oats, Western	1.86	2.02
Barley	2.45	2.74
Wheat	4.56	4.67
Soybeans	5.41	5.95

+Bid is the price the dealer will buy from the farmer delivered to the mill. Offered is the price the dealer will sell for at his mill.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, January 9

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	682	29	398	16
Last Week	580	120	677	57
Last Year	735	89	701	23
Wed.'s Auction	489	50	416	15
Last Wed.'s Auction	547	129	682	57

CATTLE: Compared to Monday, slaughter steers 3.00-5.00 higher, although Standard 1.00 higher; cows 50-1.00 lower; bulls fully steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Load high-Choice and Prime 1100-1225 lb. 51.75-52.50; Choice 950-1350, few 1350-1450 lb. included, 48.50-52.25, six head 52.60-52.85; high-Good and low-Choice 47.75-48.85; Good 42.00-46.50; Standard and low-Good 39.60-41.85.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 850-1000 lb. 44.25-45.60.

COWS: Utility and high-dressing Cutter 31.25-33.00, few 33.00-33.50; Cutter 30.50-32.00; Canner and low-Cutter 28.25-30.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 950-1200 lb. 47.50-48.00; Good 43.75-46.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lb. 46.50-49.00, few 49.00-49.60, four head 50.35-50.85; yield grade 2 1000-1600 lb. 43.85-46.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady on small supply.

VEALERS: Choice 72.00-79.00; Good 65.00-72.00; Standard 56.00-60.00.

SHEEP: Small lot Choice 89 lb. 45.00, and lot Good and Choice 112 lb. 40.00.

New Holland Horse Auction

Monday, January 7

Reported receipts of 514 head of horses, mules and ponies; market stronger than last weeks market.

Load Michigan work horses, singles, 495-690; pairs 1050-1120.

Load Tennessee work horses, 400-700.

Load Tennessee work horses, singles 410-590; pairs 1110-1375.

Load Tennessee riding horses, 145-370.

Load North Carolina work horses and riding horses; work horses, singles, 500-650; pairs 1010-1600; riding horses, 150-265.

Load Ohio riding horses, 200-370.

Load New York driving horses, 160-290.

Load Kansas riding horses, 140-320.

Local work horses, 410-500; mules 135-280; driving horses 150-650; riding horses, 155-210; better horses 225-425.

Killers, lightweight, 12-17; heavyweight 22-25.

Mare ponies 15-35; colts 5-8; geldings 15-30; larger ponies 45-75.

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New Holland Auction

Thursday, January 10

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep
Today	808	395	23
Last Thursday	964	759	19
Last Year	790	440	4

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday, slaughter steers uneven, Choice and Prime 4.50-7.00 higher, Standard 1.00-3.00 higher; cows 1.00-2.00 lower; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High-Choice and Prime 1050-1400 lb. 53.00-54.25, few 54.25-54.75; Choice 950-1400 lb. 50.00-53.75, few 48.50-50.00; high-Good and low-Choice 47.00-48.50; Good 41.75-46.50; Standard and low-Good 39.75-42.00.

COWS: Utility and high-dressing Cutter 33.50-35.75; few 35.75-36.50; Cutter 31.00-34.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 900-1250 lb. 48.50-50.00, couple 51.25-51.50; Good 44.25-48.25.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1200-1800 lb. 45.50-48.00, few 48.50-50.00, individual 1800 lb. 51.85; yield grade 2 1000-1600 lb. 44.00-46.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers strong to 2.00 higher; slaughter calves 2.00-3.00 higher.

VEALERS: Prime 77.00-83.50, couple 89.00-90.50; Choice 67.00-76.00; Good 58.00-67.00; Standard 50.00-60.00; Utility 90-120 lb. 38.00-46.00, 65-85 lb. 36.00-40.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Choice 290-400 lb. 50.00-60.00, Good 45.00-48.00.

SHEEP: Wooled lambs 2.00-4.00 higher.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 80-105 lb. 46.50-48.50; one lot Good 70 lb. 36.00.

Monday, January 7
Calf Receipts 108

Choice and Prime 71-80; Standard 50-62.50; Good and Low Choice 63-70.50; Common 38-49.50.

Monday, January 7

79 loads of hay and 20 loads of straw sold as follows: Alfalfa 59-87; Timothy 36-47; Mixed Hay 35-70; Clover 2 loads 62-82; Straw 45-54; Ear Corn 2 loads 68-73.

Composite Report

January 11

	Cattle	Calves
This Week	3400	1250
Last Week	3164	1436
Last Year	3891	1330

CATTLE: Slaughter steers unevenly higher with Choice and Prime 4.00-7.00 higher, Standard and Good 1.00-3.00 higher; cows 1.00-2.00 lower; bulls and bullocks 1.00-2.00 higher. Supply included an estimated 35 per cent slaughter steers, 30 per cent cows, 15 per cent bulls, with the balance mainly feeder steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Closing sales high-Choice and Prime 1050-1400 lb. 53.00-54.25, few 54.25-54.75; Choice 950-1400 lb. 50.00-53.75, few 48.00-50.00; high-Good and low-Choice 47.00-48.50; Good 41.75-46.50; Standard and low-Good 39.25-42.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 850-1100 lb. 42.00-45.00, few 45.35-46.85; Good 40.10-42.10.

COWS: Utility and high-dressing Cutter 33.00-35.50, few 35.50-36.50; Cutter 30.50-34.50; Canner and low Cutter 28.25-30.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 900-1250 lb. 47.50-50.00, couple 51.25-51.50; Good 42.50-46.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1800 lb. 45.50-49.00, few 49.00-50.00, four head 50.35-50.85, individual 1800 lb. 51.85; yield grade 2 1000-1600 lb. 43.75-46.00, few early part of week 41.00-43.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers 1.00-2.00 higher than last week's close; slaughter calves 2.00-3.00 higher.

VEALERS: Prime 75.00-82.00, few 82.00-83.50, couple 89.00-90.50; Choice 68.00-76.00; Good 58.00-68.00; Standard 50.00-60.00; Utility 90-120 lb. 38.00-47.00, 65-85 lb. 35.00-40.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Choice 290-400 lb. 50.00-60.00; Good 45.00-48.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 100-125 lb. Holstein heifers 50.00-60.00, few 80-105 lb. 40.00-45.00; bulk 100-125 lb. bull calves 59.00-63.00, one 25-head lot 112 lb. 66.00.

Regional Hay Prices

Monday, January 7, 1974

(All hay No. 2 and better prices paid by dealers at the farm price per ton.)

Hay & Straw steady.

Alfalfa	55.00-60.00
Mixed Hay	40.00-50.00
Timothy Hay	30.00-40.00
Straw	35.00-38.00
Mulch	15.00-26.00

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HOG PRICES

Lancaster Market

Monday, January 7

HOGS: Barrows and gilts weak to 50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1 200-240 lb. 44.00-44.50; US 1-2 200-240 lb. 42.75-43.50; US 2-3 190-245 lb. 42.00-42.75; US 3-4 230-265 lb. 41.50-42.00, one lot 270-275 lb. 40.50, one lot 290-300 lb. 38.00.

Vintage Auction

Saturday, January 5

Hogs 826 - Market 75 cents to 1.00 lower

US No. 1-2 200–240 lbs. 42.60-43.25; US No. 1-3 195-250 lbs. 42-42.60; US No. 2-3 250-290 lbs. 40.35-42; US No. 2-4 160-175 lbs. 39.60-39.75; Sows US No. 1-3 280-500 lbs. 35-37. Boars 30.50-33.35.

Wednesday, January 9

Hogs 400 Market 50 cents to 1.50 higher

US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 45-46; US No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 43.50-44.50; Sows US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. 34-36; Boars heavyweights 30-31; lightweights 33-35.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, January 9

HOGS: Barrows and gilts 1.00-1.50 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-3 200-235 lb. 45.50-46.00; US 2-3 200-240 lb. 44.85-45.50; US 3-4 240-265 lb. 42.60-44.00.

New Holland Auction

Monday, January 7

Hog receipts - 1305

Retail 43-45; Heavyweights 40-42.25; Lightweights 39-42.25; Wholesale 42.25-43; Sows 32-38; Boars 30.50-34.

Indianapolis Auction

INDIANAPOLIS HOGS: 2000.

Barrows and gilts strong to mostly 50 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-230 lb. 43.75 to mostly 44.00, 25 head at 44.25.; US 1-3 200-240 lb. 43.00-43.75 240-260 lb. 41.50-43.00.

St. Louis Auction

ST. LOUIS HOGS: 3500.

Barrows and gilts 1.00-1.50 higher.

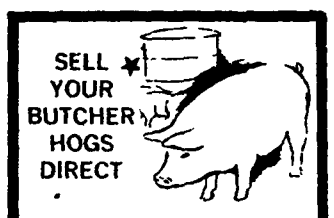
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-3 200-240 lb. 44.00-44.50.

Peoria Auction

PEORIA HOGS: 4000.

Barrows and gilts opened 50 lower on weights under 240 lb.; heavier weights not established.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-230 lb. 43.00-43.50; US 1-3 200-240 lb. 42.50-43.00



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New York Dressed Meats

Thursday, January 10

Dairy distributive - less than carlot meat trade.

Compared with Wednesday: Prices for beef, pork loins and hams at high tide for week with small stock classes steady along with pork butts and spareribs but picnics around $2 lower.

Supplies moderate to small for all fresh meats. Despite strong prices for beef and most pork, demand for these items only fair but fabricated beef round cuts continue very active.

Steer Beef

Prime 600-900 pounds 75.50; Choice 600-700 75.50; 700-800 74.50; 800-900 72.50. Good 500-800 73.00.

Heifer Beef

Choice 500-700 pounds 74.50.

Calf (skin off) 150-350 pounds

Choice 98.00-105.00; Good 87.00-97.00; Standard 82.00-86.00.

Veal (skin off)

Choice 90-150 pounds 114.00-120.00; Good 60-90 105.00-112.00; Standard 60-120 85.00-90.00.

Lamb

Choice and Prime 30-55 pounds 85.00; 55-65 83.00.

Choice Beef Cuts

Hinds (steer) 145-190 pounds 85.00-88.00; Arm Chucks 90-105 73.00-76.00; Ribs (7-rib) 34-40 75.00-85.00; Loins (trmd) 50-70 74.00-99.00; Rounds (steer) 70-95 93.00-94.00; Full Plates 41.00-42.00; Hinds (heifer) 120-170 84.00-87.00.

Fresh Pork Cuts

Loins (regular) 8-14 pounds 83.00-86.00; 14-17 81.00-84.00; Picnics (regular) 4-8 62.00-64.00; Boston Butts 4-8 68.00-70.00; Spareribs 3 pounds down 69.00-73.00; Hams (skinned) 14-17 73.50-76.00; 17-20 71.00-74.00.

U. S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspection

	CATTLE	HOGS	SHEEP
Week-To-Date	464,000	1,212,000	125,000
Same Period Last Week	340,000	867,000	93,000
Same Period Last Year	501,000	1,237,000	148,000

Omaha Cattle

Thursday, January 10

Compared with last weeks close -- slaughter steers closed 5.50-6.50 higher and heifers 6.00-7.00 higher marking the sharpest one week advance since ceiling limitations were permanently removed following World War II in 1946. Cows however, closed 3.00-4.00 lower and bulls were fully steady. Feeder cattle sold 4.00-5.00 higher in reflection of advancing steer and heifers prices.

Four day receipts 20,400 as compared 13,800 previous holiday week and 23,900 a year ago. Slaughter steers approximately 34 percent, heifers 35 percent, cows 10 percent and feeders 15 percent. Overall finish steer and heifer supply attractive with large percentage Choice and moderate volume high-Choice and Prime, most relatively clean. For fifth successive week, steer and heifer prices soared upward under stimulation provided by continued moderate slaughter under federal inspection and a sky rocketing beef trade. Current price levels were some 12.00-14.00 above the low time recorded as recently as early December 1973 with some 1250-1400 pound yield grade 4 steers 15.00-16.00 higher. During the current period weight was usually not a major price determining factor.

Virtually all buying interests were in need of cattle for immediate requirements with bad weather conditions contributing to the urgency. The upward price spiral has virtually eliminated cattle export to Canada but loss of this outlet has been offset in large measure by an aggressive feeder demand.

STEERS: Two loads Choice and Prime 1134-1171 pounds yield grade 3-4 51.00 at close. Choice 975-1325 2-4 49.00-51.00, Load Choice 1349 4 49.00. Mixed Good and Choice 975-1225 48.00-49.00. Good 44.50-48.00. Standard and low-Good 43.00-44.50.

Average cost slaughter steers first three days 47.09 average weight 1163 pounds as compared 42.52 and 1168 pounds a week ago and 39.10 and 1134 pounds a year ago.

HEIFERS: Four loads Choice and Prime 950-1000 pounds yield grade 3-4 50.00. Choice 850-1025 3-4 closed 48.50-50.00. Mixed Good and Choice 800-1000 47.50-48.50. Good 43.00-47.50. Small lots Standard and Good 41.50-43.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 28.50-30.50, few Utility 31.00. Canner and Cutter 27.50-29.00 mixed Cutter and Utility 29.25-30.00. Shelly Canner 25.00-27.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 & 2 1400-1800 pounds 37.00-40.00, few yield grade 1 40.50-41.00.

FEEDERS: Outshipments approximately 3000. Prices 4.00-5.00 higher under aggressive demand by feeder buyers for cattle suitable for short turn in feedlot.

STEERS: Two loads Choice 350 pounds 60.00. Early four loads Choice and Prime 1032-1063 48.75-48.85. Load Choice 1075 49.50 late. High-Good and Choice 835-1104 fleshy 47.00-48.50, several loads Choice 48.75-49.00 late. Load Good 886 45.50.

HEIFERS: Several loads Choice 785 pounds 50.00. High-Good and Choice 825-950 45.00-46.00. Load Good 655 43.50.

Futures Trading

(Closing bids as of Thursday, January 10)

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
January '74				62.80
February	53.55	47.60		57.05
March			10.20	55.95
April	54.80	46.80	10.70	50.85
May			11.75	48.00
June	54.30	47.80		46.75
July		48.00		
August	52.90	46.60		
October	51.80	44.95		
November			6.07	
December	51.00			

Trend — Cattle are Weaker, Hogs are Weaker, Potatoes are Stronger, and Eggs are Weaker.

a-asked b-bid n-normal

Markets provided by Commodity Dept., Reynolds Securities, Inc.

Peoria Cattle

Thursday, January 10

CATTLE: Receipts this week 5440, compared to last week 4646, and receipts a year ago 6417. Compared with last weeks close, slaughter steers 3.00-7.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS 4.00-7.00 higher. Slaughter steers and heifers selling at their highest level locally since early September, Cows 2.00-4.00 lower. Bulls steady. Supply about 60 percent slaughter steers, 25 percent slaughter heifers and the balance mostly cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice and Prime 1200-1300 pound yield grade 49.50 51.00; Load 1275 51.50; Load 1550 4-5, 47.00. Choice 950-1300 3-4, 49.00-51.50; Load 1100 2-3, 52.00; Half load 52.50. Choice 1300-1400 3-4, 48.00-49.00. Mixed Good and Choice 900-1350 47.00-49.00. Good 45.99-47.00; Few Good Holsteins 45.00. Standard and Good 41.75-43.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice and Prime 900-1100 pounds yield grade 3-4, 45.50-47.50; Closing 47.50-50.00; Load late 51.00. Choice 800-1050 2-4, 46.00-50.00; Closing 48.00-50.00. Mixed Good and Choice 750-1000 44.00-46.00. Good 42.00-44.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 26.00-31.50. High dressing Utility 32.00-32.25. Cutter 24.50-28.00. Canner 23.00-24.50.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1100-1800 pounds 37.00-40.50. Yield grade 1, 41.00-41.50.

Oklahoma City

Thursday, January 10

Estimated Receipts	4,000
Same Day Last Week	3,564
Same Day Last Year	3,648

Active, feeder cattle and calves 50 cents to 1.00 higher, some sales on 600-750 pound steers 1.50 higher. Salable receipts curtailed due to ice and snow in the marketing area. Majority receipts Good and Choice 450-850 pound steers and 400-650 pound heifers with some offerings arriving from wheat pastures; moderate attendance buyers.

FEEDER STEERS: Choice 400-500 pound 57.25-59.75; 500-600 54.75-58.25; 600-700 54.00-57.80; 700-800 51.75-56.00, small lot 712 at 56.90; 80-942 49.00-54.00, part load 828 at 54.70; Mixed Good and Choice 300-500 53.75-58.50; 500-675 49.75-54.25; 700-897 45.00-49.75; Good 545-800 45.00-49.75.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Part load Good 454 pound at 49.40; Good 546-866 44.25-46.00.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Choice 300-400 pound 50.25-52.25; 400-500 50.25-52.40; 500-600 48.00-52.80, small lot 596 at 52.80; 600-719 49.25-51.20; mixed Good and Choice 300-500 44.25-49.25; 500-737 42.75-47.50, few Good 592-658 40.25-42.75.

For the week: Compared to late last week, feeder cattle over 500 pound 3.00-5.00 higher; feeder calves 2.00-3.00 higher. Slaughter cows under extreme pressure with beef cows 3.50-5.00 lower.

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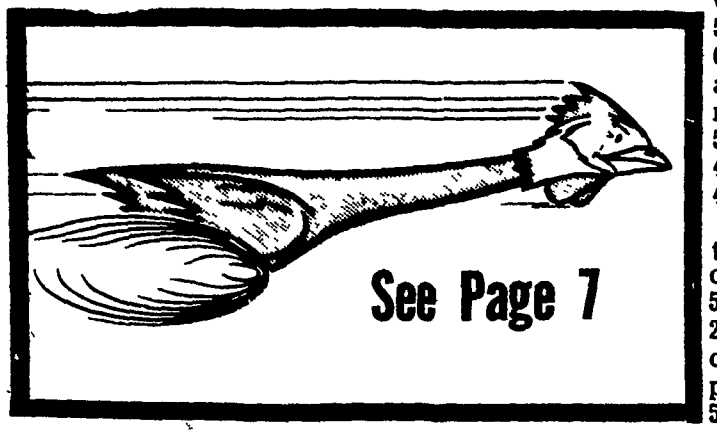

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POULTRY MARKET REPORTS

New England Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, January 8, 1974

Prices paid per dozen Grade "A" brown eggs in cartons delivered to retail stores:

	EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MASS+	78-83	77-81	76-81	61-65
Mostly	79-81	78-80	76-80	62-64
NEW HAMP	76-83	75-82	74-81	60-67
Mostly	78-79	77-78	76-77	62-63
R. I.	81-82	80-81	80-81	64-65
Mostly				
VERMONT	79-88	78-87	78-87	TOO FEW
Mostly				
MAINE	79-81	78-80	78-80	62-64
Mostly				

+Includes Central & Western Sections Only.

NEST RUN EGGS

Prices are from Egg Clearinghouse, Inc., (ECI) Durham, N.H. and reflect trading prices for gradeable nest run eggs (GNR) on ECI, a nationwide trading center for producers, packers and marketers. GNR eggs are classified by weight in 30-dozen cases, and traded in lots of either 300 or 750 cases. Prices are FOB buyers dock, and are computed Tuesday and Thursday of each week. This week's prices for each classification were:

Classification	New Weight Per Case	Tuesday	Thursday
Extra Large	51 lbs.	0	0
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	67	67
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	65	65
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	58	57
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	56	56
Checks	48 lbs.	46	46

Egg Market

Wednesday, January 9
Baltimore Eggs

Market about steady. Demand fair to good. Supplies adequate with additional offerings from southern producting areas.

Cartoned eggs: Prices to retailers, state graded (min one case sale) white Grade A Large 81-87, mostly 81-83, Grade A Medium 79-85, mostly 79-81.

Wednesday, January 9
Philadelphia Eggs

Prices unchanged. Cartoning demand irregular ranging light to good depending on involvement with strike conditions. Offerings adequate and in fairly good balance with current needs. Undertone steady.

Prices to retailers: Sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in cartons.

	Delivered	Store Door
A Extra Large	79	80½
A Large	78	79½
A Medium	74	75½

Eastern Pa. & N.J.

Wednesday, January 9
Live Poultry

Prices lower on light type hens. Demand fair though unaggressive. Offerings fully adequate to ample. Demand light for adequate heavy type hens.

Prices paid at farm: Light type hens 8-10, mostly 9-10 in Pa., mostly 9-10 in N. J. Heavy type hens TFEWR.

Delmarva

Wednesday, January 9
Broiler-Fryer Market

Ready to cook movement mixed ranging light to fair despite attractive price levels as a fast moving storm disrupts travel and strikes at retail stores in the Philadelphia area limit activity. Slaughter schedules irregular but overall fairly heavy. Less than trucklot prices 2-4 cents lower on both plant and US Grade A. Live supplies ample at heavier than desired weights. Undertone very unsettled.

Negotiated trucklot prices 2-3 pound ready to cook broiler-fryers for delivery next week:

Plant Grade 31-33 Mostly 33

Pool trucklot prices for Thursday arrival:

US Grade A 34-37 Mostly 34

Plant Grade 33-35 Mostly 33

Fogelsville

January 9, 1974

(Prices paid dock weights cents per lb.)

No market report available.

Poultry received Monday 7 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Tuesday 7 a.m. to 12 Noon. Sale at 11:30 a.m.

Directions — Take Rt. 22 thruway. Exit at Fogelsville exit. North on stoplight in Fogelsville, turn left, proceed 1 mile.

Weekly New York Egg Market

From Monday, January 7th to Friday, January 11th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Fcy. Ex. Lge.	74	74	74	74	74
Large	74	74	74	74	74
Mediums	72	72	72	72	72
Pullets	67	67	67	67	67
Peewees	50	50	50	50	50
BROWN					
Fcy. Lge.	74	74	74	74	75
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				
Off Grade					
Lge.	69	69	69	69	69
Checks	44	44	44	44	44

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Esbenshades Win Turkey Competition

Esbenshades Turkey Farm, Paradise, made a clean sweep of the top three prizes in dressed turkey competition at the Farm Show. Esbenshade gobblers took champion and reserve champion honors in the dressed bird category, and captured first place also in the best dressed turkey display. The Lancaster County turkey growers were the only area entrants in dressed turkey competition, and they sent their Cumberland County competitors home with only one blue ribbon and none of the top prizes.

First place large young tom, first and second large young hen, and first place medium young hen were all Esbenshade birds. Konhaus Farms, Mechanicsburg, one of four Cumberland County entrants, took first prize in the small young toms category.

E. E. Stiteley of Glen Rock RD1, York County, was another big winner in poultry competition, with a total of 30 first prizes in the vast number of poultry categories. Behney & Miller, Myerstown RD1, Lebanon County, also garnered their share of blue ribbons, as they do every year. They had 25 first place awards. Another big area winner was Russell Minnich, Kutztown RD2, Berks County, with 21 first placings.

Other area exhibitors with at least one first place were:

Lancaster County - Ray W. Baker, 312 W. Ferdinand St.; and Ammon Shelley, Box 85, Manheim, Paul Meiskey, 1111 Brunnerville Rd., Lititz.

Lebanon County - Ben Maurer, III, 1701 S. Lincoln Ave., Lebanon.

Berks County - Daniel Kuhns, Kutztown RD2; Minerva E. Minnich, Kutztown RD2; William Strickler, Box 549, Reading; William O. Strickler, RD33, Reading.

Chester County - Curtis R. Oakes, Cochranton RD1.

York County - Kieth Lentz, Dillsburg RD3, and Norwood A. Reed, 2450 N. George St., York.

York County youths dominated the 4-H capon show with their entries. In Cornish and cross breed competition, first through fifth places all went to York Countians, listed in order: Pearl and Wanda Kneller, Brodbecks RD1; Roy Thompson, East Berlin RD1, and Emily and Joyce Livingston, Dover RD2.

This same quintet also took the top five prizes in dressed capon competition, changing only the order of their placings. First through fifth were Joyce Livingston, Roy Thompson, Emily Livingston, and Pearl and Wanda Kneller.

In vocational poultry competition, Heather and Shawn Hernley, Lebanon RD3, took first and second prize, respectively, for their capons. Dave Amspacher, Red Lion, York County, had the best pen of three females in the White Leghorn category, while the Kutztown Area FFA showed the best pen of three females for all breeds.

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Daniel Webster, famous American statesman and orator, was born on January 18, 1782.

Robert E. Lee, commander-in-chief of the Confederate armies, was born on January 19, 1807.

On January 20, 1887, the Senate permitted the U.S. Navy to lease Pearl Harbor as a base.

Nikolai Lenin, a leader of the Russian Revolution, died on January 21, 1924.

Queen Victoria died on January 22, 1901.

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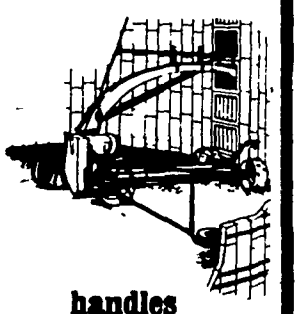

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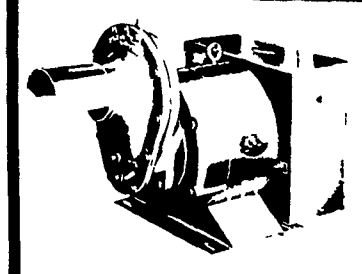

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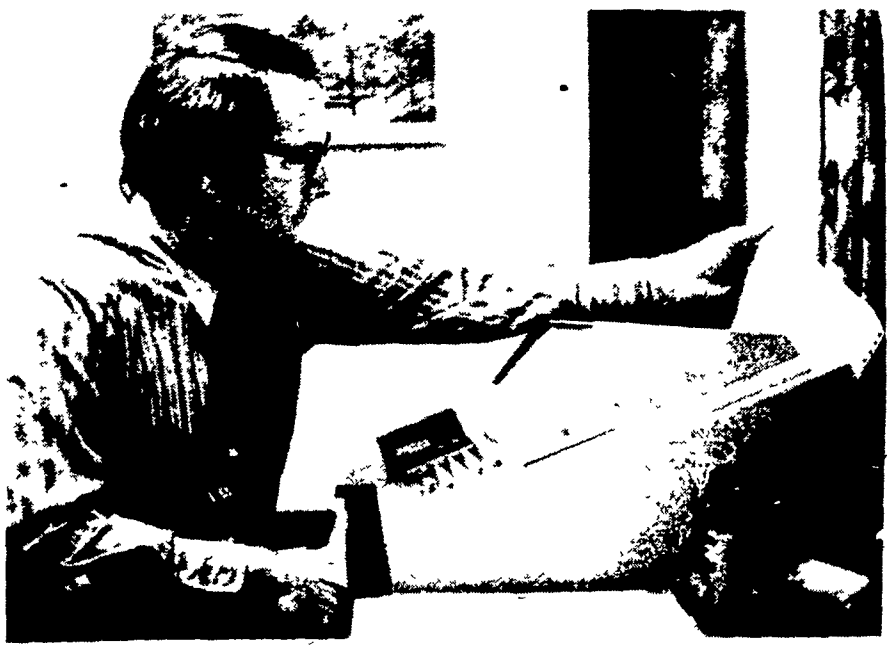

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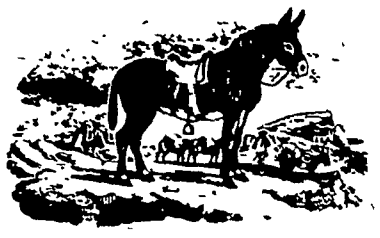
Old Farmer's Riddle: What does a person have that he can't hold for 10 minutes? (Answer below.)



Ask the Old Farmer: Have you ever heard of the liquor, Perry, mentioned in this poetic quote. Nor let the Perry be forgot/ Delicious liquor never sour/ Butlers may strive but match it not/ With all the wines in Paraoh's tower? H.C., Atlanta.

It's pear cider. The name comes from old French, who spelled it as best they could, not knowing much English, and called it "perí."

Home Hints: A piece of charcoal in your toolbox will help prevent tools from becoming rusty . . . Plywood won't splinter if you put masking tape along where you plan to cut. *Riddle answer:* His breath.

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS

New England: Week begins with a Northeaster dropping 8-12" of mixed snow and rain along the coast and 3-5" snow in the mountains, week ends with freezing rain and more snowfall.

Greater New York-New Jersey: Snow, 3-5", to start, then freezing rain to end of week.

Middle Atlantic Coastal: Snow at first, then rain, rain ends latter part becoming clear.

Southeast Coastal-Piedmont: Rain to start, then partial clearing; generally clear and cool latter part.

Florida: Week begins clear and warm, then rain; rain ends latter part, then clear and cool on weekend.

Upstate and Western N.Y.-Toronto and Montreal: Light snow changing to rain at first, then 12" snow in southeast; light snow throughout region by week's end.

Greater Ohio Valley: First part of week rainy and cool; flurries latter part, then partial clearing on weekend.

Deep South: Very heavy rain to start, then very cold with snow in east; end of week clear and cool.

Chicago and Southern Great Lakes: Light snow changing to light rain at first, then 2-4" snow in east and flurries in west, week ends partly clear.

Northern Great Plains-Great Lakes: Week begins cloudy and cold with occasional flurries, then turning warmer; mostly clear latter part, then light rain changing to snow and cold.

Central Great Plains: Light snow changing to light freezing rain to start, then temperatures becoming warmer, end of week cloudy and unseasonably warm.

Texas-Oklahoma: Mostly sunny and mild all week except for early week flurries in north.

Rocky Mountain Region: Light rain or mixed rain and snow to start, then generally clear and unseasonably warm; end of week clear and very warm, then rain and cold on weekend.

Southwest Desert: Most of week clear and warm with highs in the upper 70s; cooler temperatures end of week.

Pacific Northwest: Rain, heavy to start, continues all week, heavy snow in mountains by midweek.

California: Rain at first, then partly sunny and very warm, rain in north and cloudy in south latter part, then rain in south.

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Pa. Auction Summary

Weekly Summary
9 Livestock Markets
Week Ending January 4

CATTLE 2507. Compared with 2547 head last week, and 5731 head a year ago. Compared with last week's market, slaughter steers steady to 1.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00-2.00 lower. Bullocks uneven, mostly weak to 1.00 lower. Bulls 25 cents - 1.00 lower.

STEERS: Choice 42.50-46.10, Good 40.75-43.50, Standard 38.75-41.50.

HEIFERS: Few Choice 40.00-42.85, few Good 37.50-40.10; few Standard 35.00-37.25.

COWS: Utility and High Dressing Cutter 33.00-37.25, Cutters 31.90-35.25, Canners 29.00-32.75. Shells down to 25.00.

BULLOCKS: Few Choice 43.50-48.00, Good 42.00-45.00, Standard 39.50-42.85.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 100-1800 pounds 40.75-45.10.

CALVES 1896. Compared with 1982 head last week, and 4485 head a year ago. Vealers mostly steady to 2.00-3.00 lower.

VEALERS: Prime 70.00-78.00, Choice 65.00-77.00, Good 59.00-72.00, Standard 50.00-62.00, Utility 90-120 pounds 37.00-50.00, 70-85 32.00-40.00. Farm calves: Holstein bulls 90-120 pounds 41.00-60.00; Holstein heifers 90-120 49.00-79.00.

HOGS 3740. Compared with 3845 head last week, and 6192 head a year ago. Barrows and Gilts .75-1.50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-235 pounds 44.00-44.85. 1-3 200-250 41.60-43.75, 2-3 185-260 40.00-42.00. Few 2-4 140-160 34.00-36.50.

SOWS: US 1-3 300-550 pounds 35.50-40.00. Boars 28.50-31.35.

FEEDER PIGS 577. Compared with 255 head last week, and 1230 head a year ago. US 1-3 20-35 pound feeder pigs 14.50-24.00 per head, 35-50 22.00-31.50 per head, 50-90 34.00-56.00 per head.

SHEEP 352. Compared with 175 head last week, and 769 head a year ago. Wooled slaughter lambs steady to 3.00 higher. Choice 70-100 pounds 39.00-44.00, Good 65-100 29.00-39.50. Slaughter ewes 9.00-23.50.

ECI Extends Invitation To Meeting

Industry leaders attending the Southeastern Convention in Atlanta are invited to participate in an open meeting of the Board of Directors of Egg Clearing House, Inc., according to Bernie Johann, Chairman of the Board of ECI. The Board meeting will be held Sunday afternoon, Jan. 27th in the Whitehall room of the Marriott Hotel and will be open to members and the industry,

The formal Board meeting which is scheduled to begin at 3:00 p.m. will be preceded by an informal discussion period starting at 1:00 p.m. It will be open to the industry and will give individuals an opportunity to get answers to their questions regarding ECI as well as make suggestions for improving ECI's services to the industry. The general operation of ECI as well as trading rules, specifications and the Egg Market Evaluation Committees' Gradeable Nest Run Quotation, and the Chicago Mercantile Exchange GNR Futures Contract will be discussed.

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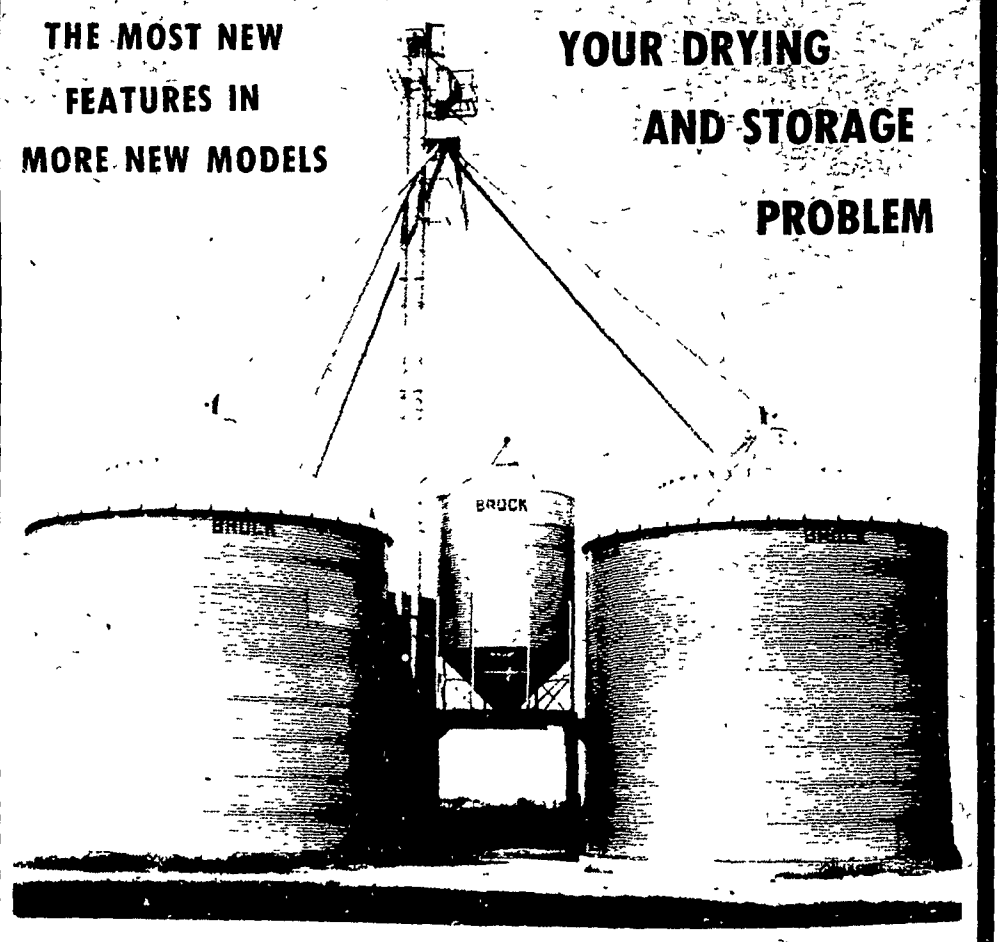

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The above Manor FFA members also became Greenhands on January 4. They are, bottom row (l-r) Pat Randler, Tony Brown, Skip Rice, Galen Long, Dean Neff, Rick Hunt. Second row (l-r) Dave Hicks, Roger Henry, John Dozier, Craig Harnish, Ray Stark, Bob Hess. Third row, (l-r) Paul Moore, Dave Frymyer, John Funk, Bill Korman, Bruce Landis, Ralph Sitler, Bill Rice and Mike Chambers.

Manor FFA members, pictured above, who became Greenhands on January 4 are, (l-r) bottom row, Daryl Hershey, Bob Miller, Jeff Hess, Jeff Falck, Jim Risser, Gary Moore. Second row (l-r Phil Miller, Dave Lewis, Mark Jackson, John Mylin, John Myers, Kevin Kilheffer. Third row (l-r) Eugene Clemens, Larry Charles, Bob Byers, Lester Funk, Ted Mays, Francis Petri, Phil Shertzer, Jay Shertzer and Steve Witkowski.

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Strasburg First National Bank Reports Net Income

The First National Bank of Strasburg reported net income for 1973 of $396,096 or $7.92 per share, up from $331,056 or $6.62 per share in 1972.

The bank's total assets passed the $50,000,000 mark during 1973 for the first time in its one hundred and ten year history. Year-end assets totaled slightly over $54,000,000.

Total dividends paid in 1973 were $3.00 per share, up from $2.80 per share in 1972.

USIA Annual Meeting Set for February 18-20

The Nation's dairy leaders will gather in Atlanta, Georgia February 18-20 for the 1974 Annual Meeting of the United Dairy Industry Association (UDIA) and its family of organizations - American Dairy Association (ADA), National Dairy Council (NDC) and Dairy Research Inc. (DRINC). The UDIA family is responsible for national programs of promotion, education and research on behalf of dairymen and the dairy industry. The meeting will be held at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Atlanta.

This will be the first Annual Meeting since new by-laws were adopted to implement the single governing body and management concept for the organizations which was approved in principle at the 1973 Annual Meeting a year ago.

The UDIA House of Delegates, which is the overall governing body, has scheduled two sessions, a business meeting Monday morning, Feb. 18 and a program session Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 19.

On Tuesday afternoon, Delegates will hear presentations reviewing 1973 progress and describing 1974 programs. Included will be presentations on advertising and sales promotion, new product and process development, nutrition education and research, marketing and economic research and communications.

Following Tuesday's general session, the New UDIA Board will hold its organization meeting at which the officers for the coming year will be elected.

National Dairy Council will hold its annual membership meeting as well as a Board of Directors meeting on Wednesday morning. NDC also will conduct general sessions on Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning in which a number of prominent speakers will participate.

UDIA was created in 1971 by dairy producers to coordinate their national programs of promotion, education and research, and to channel their promotion dollars in the most effective manner. Under the new by-laws, they now have a single national organization to speak with "one voice" for the dairy industry.

U. S. Red Meat Production up 4%

Pennsylvania's commercial slaughter of red meat animals during November was up for cattle, sheep and lambs and down for calves and hogs from a year ago according to the Crop Reporting Service. Beef production increased 7 percent and lamb and mutton 12 percent. Veal production decreased 28 percent and pork 9 percent.

Nationally, total red meat production during November was up 4 percent from November a year ago. Decreases of 1 percent were recorded for beef, 18 percent for veal, 7 percent for pork and 11 percent for lamb and mutton. Lard production, totalling 113 million pounds, was down 17 percent. Hogs slaughtered were slightly heavier than a year ago but calves were somewhat lighter. Liveweight of cattle, sheep and lambs averaged the same as November 1972.

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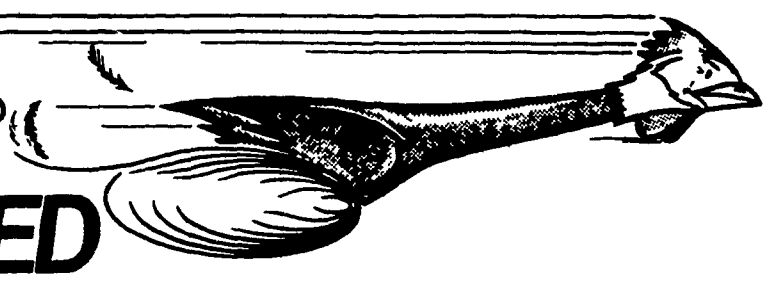

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National Central Plans Expansion of Offices

A 17 percent increase in net income during 1973 was posted by National Central Financial Corporation, parent company of National Central Bank, according to John C. Tuten, corporation chairman.

Net income grew from $6,581,327 in 1972 to $7,711,983 last year, a $.33 increase in earnings per common share from $2.07 per share in 1972 to $2.40 per share in 1973.

On December 31, 1973, National Central Financial Corporation had deposits of $762,907,428, up 17.6 percent over 1972 year end deposits of $648,499,610. Loans at the end of 1973 were $531,912,897, up 19 percent over loans of $446,845,034 at the end of the previous year and, during 1973, total assets climbed 18.1 percent to $870,000,165.

In November of last year, National Central's board of directors voted an 8 percent increase in the corporation's quarterly dividend from $.25 to $.27 per share. This dividendwill be paid January 10, 1974, to stockholders of record December 10, 1973.

National Central Bank presently has 42 offices operating in Berks, Dauphin, Lancaster and York Counties. During 1973, the bank opened two new offices in Dauphin County, one in Berks and one in York. It has received approval from the Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, D. C., to construct six additional offices in Berks, Lancaster and York Counties during 1974.

In late October of 1973, the bank became the only bank outside of Philadelphia and Pittsburgh to establish an "Off-shore" banking office. This office is in Geroge Town, capital of the Grand Cayman Islands in the British West Indies, a British Crown Colony. The primary purpose of this office is to better serve the credit requirements of local companies wishing to establish or expand overseas subsidiaries or trade. In addition, the bank can gradually develop new relationships with foreign companies throughout the world.

Last May, National Central became the first Pennsylvania bank to introduce a system of twelve 24 Hour Banking Machines linked to a central computer, the largest system of its kind in the country. In September, the bank became the first bank in Central Pennsylvania to form an organized dealer department for municipal bonds. This department handles bonds which a commercial bank may legally deal in or underwrite and serves banks, other institutional investors, corporations and individuals.

Yeutter Notes Upward Trend in Animal Disease

The brucellosis disease eradication program is in "deep trouble," according to Assistant Agriculture Secretary Clayton Yeutter, unless firm steps are taken now to reverse the recent upward trend in disease incidence.

Yeutter made his remarks in Washington to about 60 livestock and animal health officials, who agreed to step up their efforts to wipeout the disease, which poses a threat to cattle herds, but does not affect meat consumers.

Among actions proposed were increased disease surveillance in high risk areas and at livestock concentration points; use of federal and state quarantines to prevent movement of infected and exposed animals; revitalization of the calfblood vaccination program in problem areas; and, concentration of manpower and funds in critical areas, where disease incidence is highest.

An accelerated eradication program begun in the mid-1950's reduced disease incidence through 1971. However, the trend was reversed during the past two years. Data collected from 12 selected states showed a ten percent increase in infected herds during fiscal year 1973, compared to the year before.

The need is now to protect the 99 percent of the livestock industry that's already free of brucellosis, according to Yeutter. He noted that the $700 million already spent on the program is too great an investment to settle for anything less than total eradication.

Prior to the mid-1950's, the disease caused many cases of undulant fecer in human beings from the drinking of raw, unpasteurized milk. Today, the human risk is mainly to slaughtering house workers or veterinarians who come in direct contact with an infected animal's blood.

Dr. Francis J. Mulhern, administrator of the Agriculture Department's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, stressed the need for coordinated federal-state-industry efforts to fight the disease, which also afflicts swine, sheep, goats, dogs, and some species of wildlife.

Master Farmers Feted During Pa. Farm Show

Six Master Farmers were honored Tuesday at a special Farm Show Week luncheon of state agricultural leaders at the Penn Harris Motor Inn.

The rural Pennsylvanians won recognition for leadership in farm and civic organizations as well as achievements in agriculture.

Those receiving the coveted award were: R. Eugene Blevins, Stewartstown, York County; Harold C. Gayman, Waynesboro, Franklin County; Ernest O. Miller, Hamburg, Berks County; S. Richard Moyer, Winfield, Union County, Thomas O. Oyler, Sr., Gettysburg, Adams County; and J. Glenn Poorbaugh, Mount Pleasant, Fayette County.

Both Blevins and Oyler produce fruit. But while Blevins tries to sell as much fruit as possible directly to the consumer, Oyler finds running a stand requires too much time and bookwork.

Poultryman Richard Moyer goes the direct marketing route, too, selling 41,600 cases of eggs and 60 tons of beef direct to Mrs. Consumer each year.

The remaining winners are all dairymen. Gayman ships a million and a half pounds of milk to market each year. Miller has expanded the size of this farm to 520 acres or almost nine times its original size . . . and he's not yet 40 years old.

Poorbaugh, senior member of this Master Farmer class, has been dairying since he was 14 years old. Now, 47 years later, he's still at the helm of his 93-acre farm proving a farmer doesn't have to be big to be good.

The Master Farmer Awards are cosponsored by the Pennsylvania Farmer magazine and the Penn State Cooperative Extension Service.

Judges for this year's contest were the Pennsylvania Secretary of Agriculture Jim McHale; Dr. James M. Beattie, State College, Dean of the College of Agriculture; and Merrill M. Mordan, Honey Brook, Chairman of the Agricultural Committee of the Pennsylvania Bankers Association.

Winners were selected from more than 150 nominations across the state.

Car Warm-ups Can Damage Shrubs

Warming up your auto in the driveway before you go to work in the morning may seem like a good practice during winter, but Extension horticulturists at The Pennsylvania State University caution that it can have fatal effects on nearby evergreens and deciduous shrubs. Exhaust fumes pouring out of a car have been known to kill needles and entire branches of evergreens.

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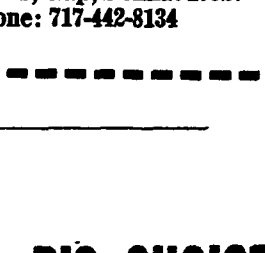

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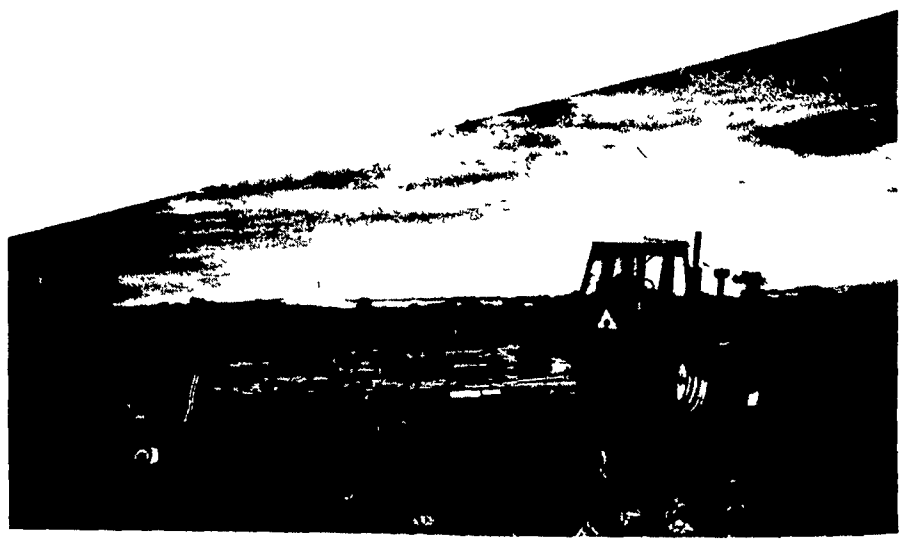

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Dairy Inspection and Grading Fees Raised

Effective January 6, hourly rates for dairy products inspection and grading and laboratory services were raised by an average of 10 percent to offset higher labor and operating costs.

USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) said the new hourly rates for most dairy products inspection and grading services will be $13.20 between 6:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., and $14.52 between 6:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. Current rates for these time periods are $12.00 and $13.20 per hour.

Charges for continuous nonresident service will be increased from the present $14.20 per hour to $15.60 between 6:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., and from $15.40 to $16.92 between 6:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m.

The new charge for laboratory service will be $14.30 per hour, or $1.30 above present fees. Similarly, charges for individual laboratory tests will be boosted an average of 10 percent.

Under guidelines set by the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946, grading fees are to be reasonable and, as nearly as possible, to cover costs. AMS officials, who supervise the voluntary dairy inspection and grading service, expect the rate increases to bring revenue income reasonably in line with fixed operating costs and wages.

Publication of the new rules is set for the Jan. 4 Federal Register.

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Education on Smoking and Health Week Set

A list of suggestions for non-smokers to follow in a daily attempt to make smokers conscious of the non smokers' rights was released recently by Dr. Charles L. Leedham, Chairman of the Pennsylvania Committee on Smoking and the Health of Youth.

The release of this action plan for non-smokers, as well as a Non-Smokers' Bill of Rights, is one of the Committee's activities in cooperation with the National Interagency Council on Smoking and Health in support of Education on Smoking and Health Week in the Commonwealth, January 11-17, according to Dr. Leedham who is also Director of the State Health Department's Bureau of Health Education.

The Committee, which each year spearheads the observance of Smoking and Health Week, is a state level interagency council that provides leadership and coordination in a statewide, year-round educational effort on the effects of smoking and health. The 1974 Education on Smoking and Health Week theme is "Non-Smokers Have Rights, Too."

The three basic tenets of the Non-Smokers' Bill of Rights are: the right to breathe clean air, the right to firmly but politely speak out their discomfort and adverse reactions and the right to act through legitimate means to prevent or discourage smokers from polluting the atmosphere.

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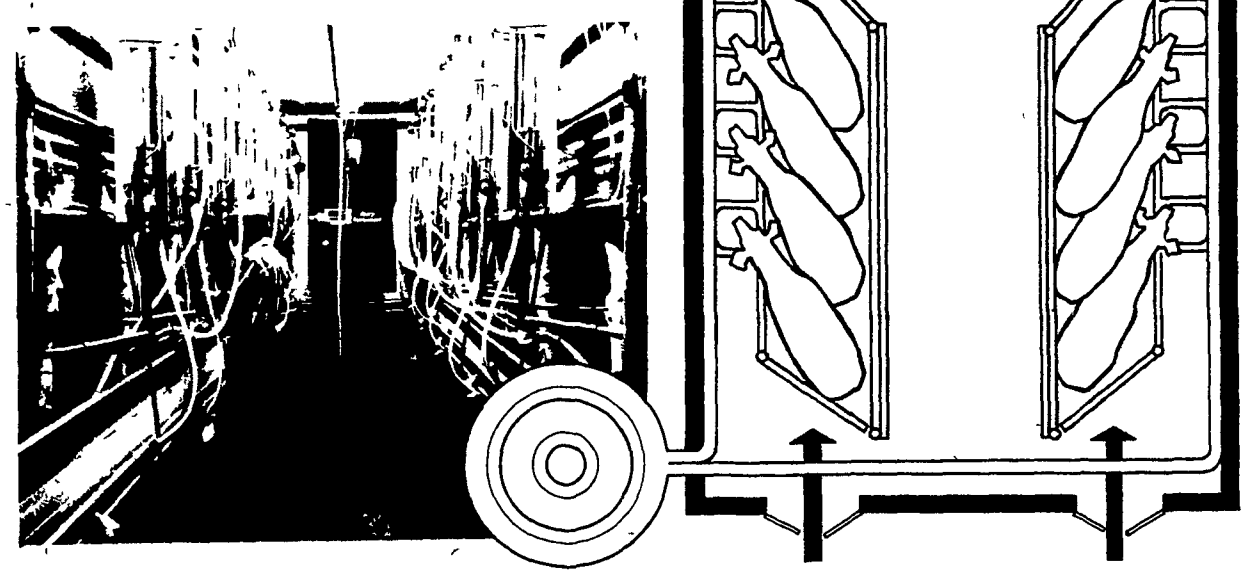

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The Pennsylvania State University's College of Agriculture has enjoyed a dramatic increase in enrollment this year. The increase has outstripped the overall college increase according to Donald W. Parke, executive vice president of PennAg Industries Association and a member of the Executive Committee of the College of Agriculture's Advisory Council in remarks to the semi-annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Inland Fertilizer Association in Carlisle, Penn. on January 8.

"According to reports released at a recent meeting of the Advisory Council, the enrollment in the College of Agriculture increased by 87 percent over 1970 while the increase for Penn State University as a whole was only 21 percent," Parke said. "It is thought that increase awareness of opportunities in agribusiness, a revival of interests by youth in nature and also the offering of a new environmental course by the College of Agriculture have combined to increase the enrollment. The new environmental course being offered is not to train radicals but rather consist of difficult scientific courses to provide the future generation with a bank of talent in resource management."

The PennAg vice president also noted that alumni of the college are voluntarily sponsoring a representative who visits Pennsylvania high schools and answers questions about agriculture and agribusiness. This has probably contributed to the good response.

Pomona Grange 71 To Meet

Lancaster County Pomona Grange number 71 will hold a dinner meeting at Rhoads Restaurant, Quarryville, January 19, 7 p.m. Either Jesse Wood or Richard Maule must have reservations by January 14.

The lecturer, Mrs. Jesse Wood, will be in charge of the annual memorial service. New officers will be installed for a two-year term by Charles McCparran and his installing team.

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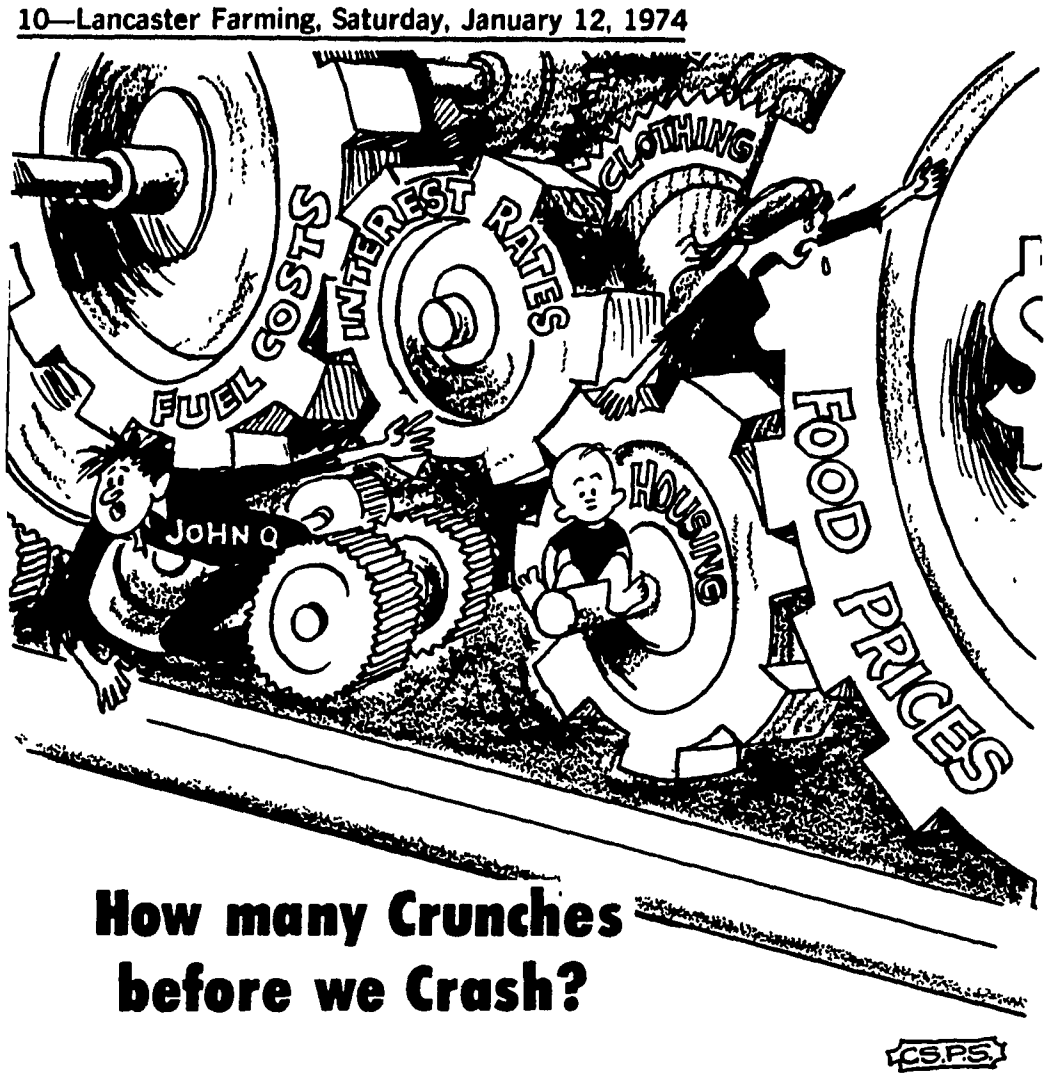

"Grassroots Opinion"

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—Helen Keller

Looking Ahead

by
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GOVERNMENT OUT OF CONTROL

The nearly half-trillion dollars which the American taxpayers are paying for government in the current fiscal year (Federal, State and Local) grew up out of public apathy and citizen default The growth -- from $4 billion in Roosevelt's first year -- is only indirectly chargeable to the six Presidents the Congresses and State and Local politicians Primarily it is chargeable to the default of citizens on their responsibilities of citizenship Nearly every American has said through the years when confronted with his political responsibilities "Oh, let George do it!"

The Let George do it' attitude has permitted the rapid creation of small pressure groups You might say, their name is George" — all of them For they are calling the shots for everybody else while grinding their own group axes They do not care how loudly we citizens squeal so long as we take no action to halt their raids on the Federal treasury and to some extent on State and local government treasuries Where has this put us — as individuals and as families?

Your Part

If individual taxes were absolutely equal for every citizen in the United States each (including babies) would have to pay $1 340 in taxes to meet just the current Federal budget requirement A family of four would have to pay $5 360, and a family of six $8 040 That's the tax per person and per family when averaged out Of course some pay less, and some pay more

In addition, the $505 Federal government debt breaks down to an average of $2,500 per person A family of four, on the average, would have to assume $10,000 as its part of the national debt, and a family of six, $15 000 And don't let anybody tell you "Oh, forget the National debt, we owe it to ourselves" That's ridiculous! The debt is held by individual citizens and institutions, by banks in the Federal Reserve system, and in paper notes in some of the big funds accumulated in Federal Government departments Individual citizens own about $50 billion in U S Savings Bonds Holders of these bonds must be paid — and the only source of payment is the taxpayers The remainder of the indebtedness must also be paid in like manner

Tapping Social Security Fund

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But there's a catch — a shocking catch! Without your permission the Federal government has dipped into this Fund and borrowed $36 billion $296 million - leaving only promises to pay it back The Government of course, cannot under present fiscal policies pay it back — without piling more taxes on the people There is only about $300 million in cash in the Fund And meantime the taxpayers are being charged interest on the money taken in Federal borrowing from the Fund In the 1973 74 Federal budget is an item for $1 9 billion to pay the interest on the money borrowed from our Social Security Fund and spent on various programs which we may or may not approve

A Dangerous Government Role

If a citizen thinks this is ridiculous, let him recognize the fact that it is his money that has been borrowed, his money being paid in interest, his representatives in the Congress and White House who are borrowing the money — for deficit spending — and for expanding the size and cost of government

On top of these figures I've given you is another one which should shock every citizen out of his apathy The American taxpayers are forced to pay in this fiscal year more than $26 billion just in interest on the federal debt!

It is not my wish to be an alarmist But with the Federal Government's financial stability as shaky as it is today a depression or runaway in flation or any such crisis could paralyze the economy and wipe out the Social Security payments which now partially maintain 30 million elderly citizens It could wipe out all financial values That is why as I have said for nearly 40 years, the Government can provide no genuine economic security for the people as Thomas Jefferson and our other founding fathers repeatedly warned Next week more on big Government dangers

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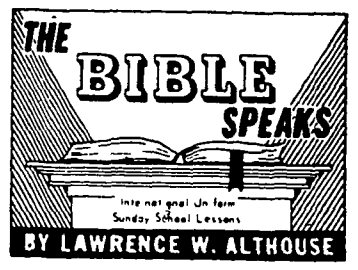
To Check Feed Mineral Levels

The importance of minerals in livestock feeds should not be overlooked. Many problems we encounter in dairy herds can be traced to mineral imbalance. Even with the increased prices and potential shortages of some of our feed minerals, they are still one of the best buys you make. Free choice mineral feeding is desirable for all livestock, but with the dairy cow we should include most of the mineral needs in the ration. Obviously, to correctly balance the minerals in a ration, needs must be known. This means forage testing for minerals as well as other nutrients. Minerals may make up a small portion of total ration, but not a portion to be overlooked.

To Give Cows Exercise

The current fad of "jogging" as a form of human exercise indicates the importance of exercise to living creatures. We have recognized for a long time the importance of exercise for the dairy cow. Apparently, many dairymen at this time of year disregard the important practice. Aside from many benefits of exercise, getting the cows out once or twice a day gives you a good opportunity to observe them for signs of heat. Don't overlook this opportunity. This is one of those many management practices that doesn't cost you anything, but a little time, and pays big production efficiency dividends.



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Devotional Reading: John 9 24-33

"Seeing is believing!"

So goes the old saying It means simply that we will believe only what we see Show us what you say is true and then we will believe you

Basically, it is a dubious, cynical approach to life Unfortunately, some people are so doubtful about life that they are unwilling even to believe what they see In John 9 we see this type of person Looking at the man born blind and now apparently posessing his sight for the first time in his life, some people, recognizing him, say "It is he," But others, unwilling to accept even the testimony of their own eyes, say "No, but he is like him" (9 9)

Rev. Althouse

They did not believe

Nevertheless, the man born blind says, "I am the man!" Surely now they must believe what their eyes tell them?

No, now their doubts arise at a different point they questioned whether he had actually been born blind in the first place! And when the man's parents affirm that he had definitely been born blind, instead of accepting at last the evidence, they stubbornly cling to their disbelief . . we know that this man (Jesus) is a sinner" (9:24). No longer able to refute the seeing "blind man," they focused their doubt now upon his healer No wonder that, on another occasion, Jesus remarked that there were some people who would not believe even if they saw a man rise from the dead! This is true blindness, not a blindness of the physical eyes, but a spiritual blindness Some of the Pharisees standing near Jesus ask "Are we also blind?" Jesus' reply pinpoints the issue. "If you were blind, you would have no guilt; but now that you say, 'We see' your guilt remains" (9:40, 41).

The blind man sees

There is an interesting contrast between the blind man and the Pharisees Ordinarily, it would be presumed that they have two great advantages over him (1) they have physical sight, and (2) they are regarded as men of faith and understanding Yet, ironically, it is the "blind man" who believes without seeing who actually sees both physically and spiritually, while the Pharisees, despite their eyesight are spiritually blind

So it may be that we, because of our lack of belief, our predisposition to doubt, are unable to 'see" what should be obvious in life Lack of belief robs us of seeing Dr O Carl Simonton, a cancer specialist in Fort Worth, Texas, has found that the difference between recovery and decline in a cancer patient, is often the ability of the patient to 'see" himself recovering

It may well be that believing is sometimes rightly dependent upon seeing, but we must remember that often it is also true that **believing is seeing!**

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Pennsylvania Farm Show

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Narvon RD2, made nearly a clean sweep in the Dorset division, while veteran showman Milton Morgan 1916 New Holland Pike took nearly all the blue ribbons in the Suffolk classes. In carcass lamb competition, Elizabeth Herr took the top two places while her brother, Christian, had third place. On Thursday, Sarah Lynn Brubaker, 2418 Harrisburg Pike, took grand champion honors in individual 4-H market lamb competition, while her brother, Kenneth, captured the top prize for his pen of three.

Sheep show results were:

BREEDING SHEEP

HAMPSHIRE -- Marc Paden Goldsmith, of Greenville, Mercer County, a previous Farm Show winner, exhibited the champion ram, champion ewe, and reserve champion ewe in Hampshire judging competition. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brubaker, of Lancaster, showed the reserve champion ram.

SHROPSHIRE – Kenneth T. Moore, of RD2, Nichols, N.Y. Bradford County, who has won championships at past Farm Shows, exhibited the champion ram, champion ewe, and reserve champion ewe in Shropshire competition. Micar Farm, of RD1, Stewartstown, York County, showed the reserve champion ram.

SUFFOLK – Milton K. Morgan of Lancaster, exhibited the champion ram and reserve champion ewe in Suffolk competition. Reserve champion ram was shown by Steven Chronister, of Windsor, York County. Champion ewe was exhibited by Richard Eberts, of Newville, Cumberland County.

CHEVIOT -- Repeating their previous winnings, Erdenheim Farms, of Lafayette Hill, Montgomery County, showed the champion ewe, reserve champion ewe, and reserve champion ram. The champion ram was exhibited by Delaware Valley College, of Doylestown, Bucks County.

CORRIEDALE – Jay H. and Thomas J. Runkle, of Spring Mills, Centre County, exhibited the champion ram in Corriedale classes. Emil Mellott and Son, of Needmore, Fulton County, previous Farm Show winners, showed the champion ewe, reserve champion ewe, and reserve champion ram.

DORSET – Dr. and Mrs. Robert D. Herr, of Narvon, Lancaster County, showed the champion ram and reserve champion ewe in Dorset classes. George V. Hunter, of Stoneboro, Mercer County, showed the reserve champion ram, and Kenneth V. Staver, of RD1, Palmyra, Dauphin County, exhibited the champion ewe.

MERINO – Robert E. Calvert, of RD1, Spraggs, Green County, who last year won all Merino championships, exhibited the champion ewe, reserve champion ewe and reserve champion ram. George V. Hunter, of Stoneboro, Mercer County, exhibited the champion ram.

RAMBOUILLET -- Kenneth T. Moore, of RD1, Nichols, N. Y., Bradford County, swept all championships in Rambouillet judging. His entries won the champion and reserve champion titles in both ewe and ram classes.

INDIVIDUAL 4-H MARKET LAMBS

Sarah Lynn Brubaker, of Harrisburg Pike, Lancaster, captured the grand championship in individual 4-H market with a Suffolk lamb. Reserve grand champion was a Hampshire owned by Tom Van Wagner, of Dauphin, Dauphin, County.

Champions by breed were:

SHROPSHIRE -- Cinda Corl, of RD1, State College Centre County, showed the champion Shropshire and Christian Herr, of Narvon, Lancaster County, the reserve champion.

SOUTHDOWN -- Janet Firth, of RD5, Mercer, Mercer County, exhibited the champion Southdown and David Harpster, of Boalsburg, Centre County, the reserve champion.

SUFFOLK – Sarah Lynn Brubaker, of Harrisburg Pike, Lancaster, showed the champion and Elizabeth Herr, of Narvon, Lancaster County, the reserve champion.

CHEVIOT -- Charles Hopkins, of RD1, Oley, Berks County, showed the champion Cheviot.

DORSET -- Kenneth Staver, of RD1, Palmyra, Dauphin County, captured the championship in Dorset judging and Steve Bushong, of RD2, Columbia, Lancaster County, the reserve champion.

HAMPSHIRE – Tom Van Wagner, of RD1, Dauphin, showed the champion, and Donald Witt, of Champion, Fayette County, the reserve champion.

4-H PEN OF MARKET LAMBS

Kenneth Brubaker, of 2418 Harrisburg Pike, Lancaster, captured the grand championship in market lamb classes at the 58th Farm Show. His pen, Hampshires, also were judged breed champions.

Reserve champion pen was shown by Sarah Lynn Brubaker. The reserve champion pen was Suffolk breed champion.

Champions by breed were:

SOUTHDOWN -- Janet Firth, of RD5, Mercer, showed the champion pen and David Harpster, of Boalsburg, Centre County, the reserve champion pen.

SUFFOLK – The reserve champion pen was exhibited by Elizabeth Herr of Narvon, Lancaster. Sarah Lynn Brubaker showed the champion pen.

DORSET – Ken Staver, of Palmyra, Dauphin County, exhibited the champion pen of Dorsets and Carol Bushong, of RD2, Columbia, Lancaster County, the reserve champion pen.

HAMPSHIRE – Kenneth Brubaker showed the champion pen and Tim Bushong, of RD2, Columbia, Lancaster County, the reserve champion pen.

SHROPSHIRE – Christian Herr, of Narvon, Lancaster County, showed the champion Shropshire pen and Timothy Donough, of Manheim, Lancaster County, the reserve champion pen.

4-H CLUB BREEDING SHEEP

CHEVIOT -- Ruthann Osman, of RD1, Harrisburg, Dauphin County, showed the grand champion and Charles Hopkins, of RD1, Oley, Berks County, exhibited the reserve champion.

DORSET -- Elizabeth Herr, of RD2, Narvon, Lancaster County, a previous Farm Show winner, showed the champion Dorset, while Kenneth Staver, of RD1, Palmyra, Lebanon County, showed the reserve champion.

HAMSHIRE – Both the champion and reserve champion Hampshire were exhibited by Steven Ebersole, of RD3, York.

SHROPSHIRE - Janet L. and Andrea Firth, of RD5, Mercer, showed both the champion and reserve champion Shropshire.

SOUTHDOWN – David L. Harpster, of Boalsburg, Centre County, showed both the champion and reserve champion in Southdown competition.

SUFFOLK – The champion Suffolk was exhibited by Suzanne Faye Weaver, of RD, Centre Hall, Centre County. Reserve champion was shown by R. L. Daniels, of New Hope, Bucks County.

4-H Lamb Showmanship

Linda Ebaugh, 14, of RD2, Delta, York County, captured the junior division of the 4-H Lamb showmanship Contest held Thursday. Linda is a member of the

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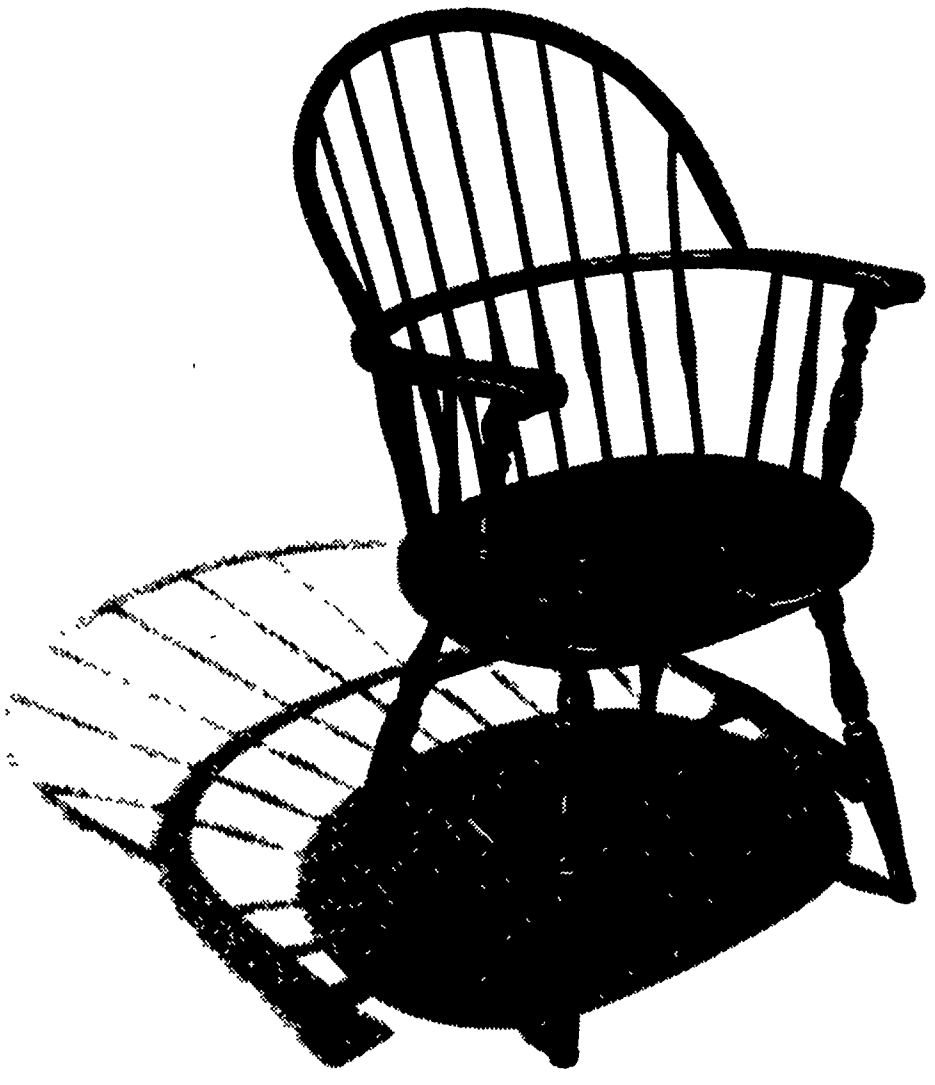

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58th Annual Pennsylvania Farm Show

Linda Kauffman, left, Elizabethtown RD1, had the grand champion cow in junior Holstein competition at the Farm Show. She's shown here receiving her prize from Phoebe Ruth, Fleetwood, Pennsylvania's Distinguished Holstein Girl. In the background, Jed Beshore, New Cumberland, is receiving the reserve champion trophy.

The Dr. Robert Herr family scored impressive wins in sheep judging during the Pennsylvania Farm Show this week. The Herr's are shown here with their first place entry in Dorset get-of-sire competition. Shown left to right are Christian, Barbara, Mrs. Herr, Elizabeth and Dr. Herr, back to camera.

One way to get the judge to notice your animal in a hog show is to tie a balloon to its tail. This showman got a smile from the judge, but no ribbons.

Some traditions - like snow, sleet, rain, ice, slush and cold during Farm Show Week - never die. In spite of the weather, though, the 58th annual Pennsylvania Farm Show was well-attended.

58th Annual Pennsylvania Farm Show

In the spotlight briefly at the Pennsylvania FFA convention held every year in Harrisburg during Farm Show Week was Ray Martin, from Garden Spot High School's Grassland Chapter. Martin was honored for being chosen Star Farmer for the Eastern Region.

Gary Brubaker brought home his first Farm Show blue ribbon Thursday after winning the reserve champion honor at the junior steer show. His prize-winner was a 1095-pound Simmental-Angus crossbreed. He's shown here being interviewed after the judging.

Grand champion honors in the junior market lamb competition Thursday at the Farm Show went to Sarah Lynn Brubaker, shown here with the Suffolk lamb that won the ribbon.

There have been 58 annual Pennsylvania Farm Shows and the dapper octagenerian on the right has seen 'em all. He's Lancaster County's most traveled motorcyclist, Dutch Bucher, former County Agent.

Ed Hess showed his Intell steer to grand champion honors in Hereford judging during the junior steer show Thursday at the Pennsylvania Farm Show. Hess is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hess, Strasburg RD1.

WILL THE TRAIN MEET THE GRAIN?

All across the country the season s grain harvest is moving to market A major bottleneck however, is the critical shortage at country grain elevators of rail cars to move the grain

When cars aren t available, artificial scarcities of grain result which can drive prices up That can mean higher prices for many items like bakery products, cereal, and even meat and poultry

To help ease this problem, the U S Department of Agriculture in late September started a monitoring system to pinpoint areas of the country that are having problems getting rail cars

Operators of country grain elevators received questionnaires from USDA s Agricultural Marketing Service asking them to list the amount of grain awaiting shipment, grain on hand in the elevator—and on the ground, if any; and anticipated receipts and shipments within the next two weeks. Reports by the warehousemen are voluntary and are submitted weekly only when there's a car shortage.

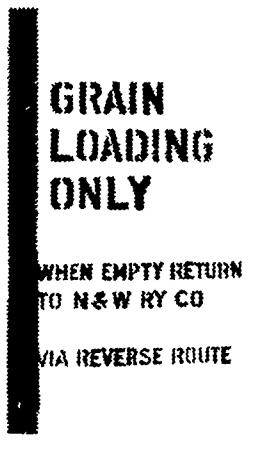
USDA then feeds the information into a computer that produces geographic lists. They spell out just what areas need more cars and tells how severe the shortages are.

The lists are then passed on for further action to agencies that have some control over the situation, such as the Interstate Commerce Commission, the U S. Department of Transportation, and the Association of American Railroads.

Hopefully, this attempt at national coordination will mean steadier supplies of grain to feeders and processors

After experiencing trouble getting rail cars a country elevator operator seals his weekly questionnaire (1073K1576-27) before mailing it to the U S Department of Agriculture in Washington D C There it and scores of others from across the country is opened (1073K1607-5) and computer-processed into lists (1073K1607-27) that pinpoint general areas of the country where cars are scarce Hopefully this information can help get the rail cars rolling (1073K1569-19) toward where they re most needed when they re most needed

Rail Car Monitoring Seeks an Answer



58th Annual Pennsylvania Farm Show

After three reserve championships in as many years. J. Kenneth Brubaker grabbed a grand championship at last in junior sheep judging at the Farm Show. Ken, a Hempfield High School freshman, showed a trio of Hampshires to capture grand champion honors for pen of three judging.

Douglas Seidel, Richland, Berks County, was justifiably proud of the aged cow that was named grand champion female in open Holstein judging at the Farm Show. The animal is owned by Raymond Seidel, Douglas' father, and David Younger.

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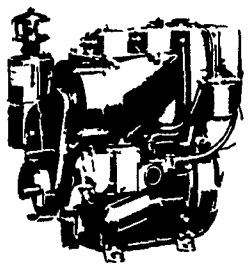

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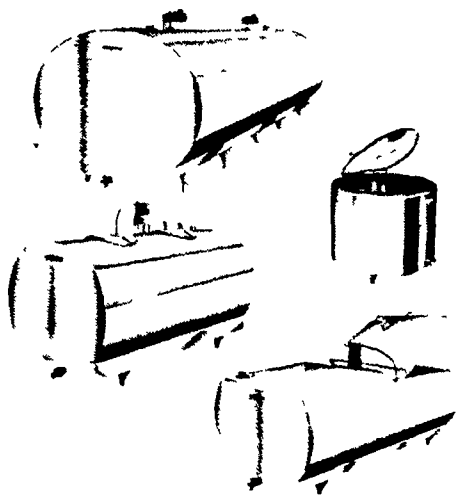

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Pictured above are the new officers of the Lancaster County Ag teachers. They are, left to right, front, James Kerr, vice president, Brownstown; August Birchler, president, Penn Manor; Robert Woods, secretary, New Holland. Standing, Jerry Phillips, County FFA advisor, Pequea Valley and Charles Ackley, treasurer, Ephrata.

Garden Spot Young Farmers To Meet

The Garden Spot Young-Adult Farmers will be conducting a Milking Technique Seminar on Tuesday, Jan. 15, with guest speaker, Herman Stebbins, manager of Sinking Springs Farm, York, leading the discussion. Herd average this year at Sinking Springs Farm for 63 lactations was 21,250 pounds of milk and 812 pounds of fat.

The meeting will be held in the agriculture classroom of the Garden Spot High School at 7:45 p.m. Purpose of the meeting is to increase the dairyman's knowledge of how to harvest all the milk produced by the cow. This will include an understanding of factors effecting milk let-down, proper stimulation, timing, proper use of machines, stripping, mastitis prevention, and many other items.

An outstanding film, "The Science of Profitable Dairying", will be shown at the beginning of the meeting. Each person on the farm who does any milking can benefit from this meeting and are invited. All dairymen in the area are invited. Refreshments will be served.

Strasburg Bank to Seek Stock Split

The First National Bank of Strasburg has asked its shareholders to approve a stock split and an increase of capital at the annual meeting to be held on January 22, 1974 at Historic Strasburg, Inc.

The proposed stock split would increase the present 50,000 shares of capital stock to 200,000 shares and change the present par value of $10.00 per share to $2.50 per share.

The proposed increase of capital provides for the sale of 50,000 shares of Common Stock of $2.50 par value each, at a sale price of not less than $20.50 per share.

The annual meeting will be preceded by a shareholder luncheon at Historic Strasburg's Washington House. The luncheon begins at 12:15 p.m. and the meeting at 2:00 p.m.

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The 25-minute color film covers a variety of agricultural subjects in the U.S. and Canada. The stories were filmed during the past year by Sperry New Holland Motion picture crews.

Included are stories on new alfalfa research at the USDA research center at Beltsville, Md.; some unusual aspects of Florida agriculture; California dairies that have made changes because of urbanization; straw being turned into building material at Innisfail, Alberta; old engines being auctioned and displayed at Kinzers, Pa.; a modern hay feeding system at Yuma, Arizona and how the live birth of calves helped bridge the farm-city gap during the Canadian National Exposition in Toronto.

The Agri-Newsreel is used exclusively for open house programs at dealerships until May and then is made available to the public. Information on the film's availability can be obtained from Sperry New Holland Public Relations Dept., New Holland, Pa., 17557.

Baby Beef Club Meets

The first meeting of the New Holland 4-H Baby Beef Club was held at the home of Donna and Gerald Eberly on the 28th of December. Members received their record books from the past year.

The following officers were elected: Gordon Hoover, president; Jeff Martin, vice-president; Joey Weaver, secretary; Richard Groff, treasurer; Donald and Daryl Bowman, game leaders; Tony Weaver, song leader and Gerald Eberly, news reporter.

Club leaders are Mark Yoder, Harvey High, John Groff, Robert Martin, Lester Weaver and county agent Max Smith.

Following the meeting, hostess Arlene Eberly served refreshments.

Goodwill Elects 1974 Officers

At its December meeting, the Board of Directors of Goodwill Industries of Lancaster County elected new officers for the 1974 term. New officers are John Thomas, Sr., chairman; Walter Maurer, vice-chairman; Thomas Kile, treasurer; and Walter Legenstein, secretary.

Thomas, who resides at Hans Herr Drive in Willow Street, is owner of Willow Valley Farms in Willow Street.

Maurer lives at 1701 Lincoln Highway East in Lancaster and is currently a management consultant for Marcoin Business Consultants, 1027 Dillerville Road in Lancaster.

Kile lives at 255 Hawthorne Drive in Lancaster and is employed as controller for High Steel Structures, 1911 Old Philadelphia Pike.

Legenstein resides at 816 Wabank Road, and serves as vice-president of operations for Certified Carpet Service, 1855 Columbia Avenue.

Farm Income Tax Meeting Jan. 16

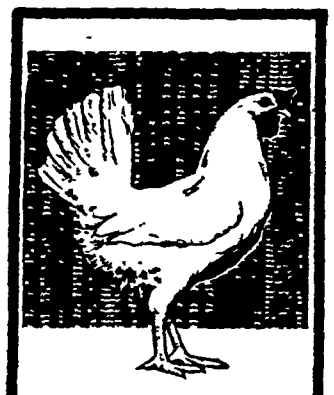
Farmers and tax practitioners who wish to learn more about income tax reporting and management are invited to take part in a Regional Farm Income Tax Meeting to be held January 16, 1974 at the Farm and Home Center in Lancaster. The meeting will start at 9:30 a.m. and end at 3:30 p.m.

Sponsored by The Pennsylvania State University Cooperative Extension Service, the meeting is designed to assist those who prepare their own tax returns or assist others. Sessions will be conducted by B. Wayne Kelly and Jesse G. Cooper, Extension farm management specialists.

Topics to be discussed include changes in tax laws; reporting taxable income; reporting the sale of land, cattle and machinery; involuntary sales; investment credit; changes in Social Security; and reporting state taxes.

Following the meeting there will be ample time for questions.

A registration fee will be charged. Those attending will receive master tax guides and farmer's tax guides.



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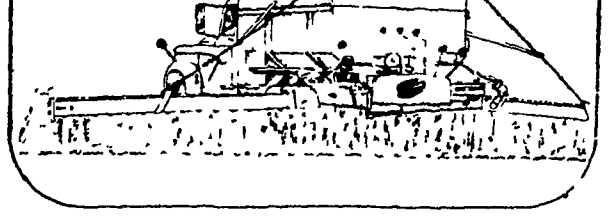

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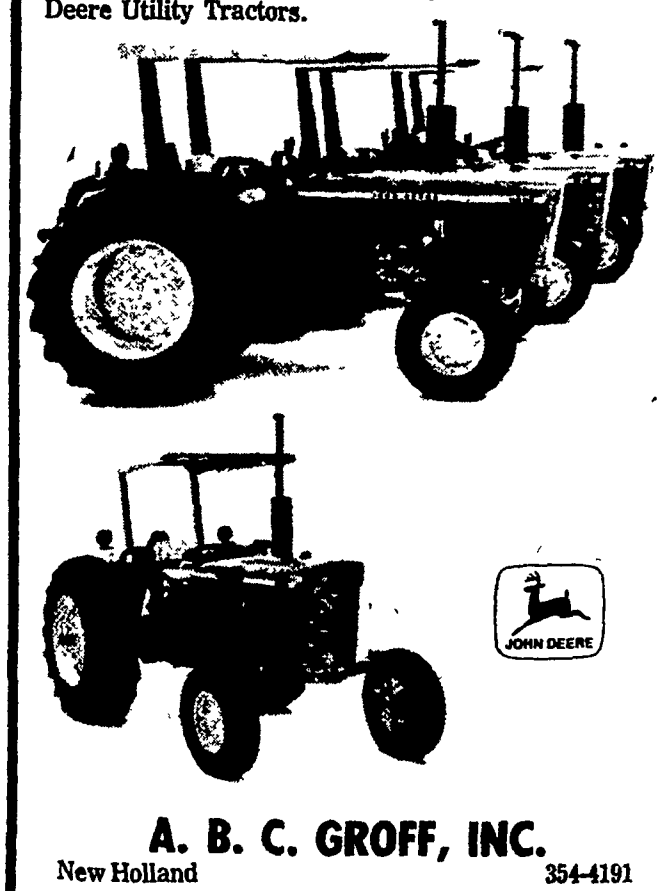

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Mary Pruss Shows Champion 4-H Capons

With 90 4-H members each exhibiting two dressed capons, or 180 birds, Miss Mary Pruss of Wayne County won the grand champion honors at the Wayne-Pike 4-H Capon Roundup. She exhibited the grand champion pair of birds, which were of the Penobscot strain, each weighing ten pounds. Mary is seventeen years old and has been in 4-H club work for seven years.

The reserve grand champion award was captured by Charles Shushenick, also of Wayne County.

This two county roundup has become in ten years the largest in continental United States and perhaps the world. These youngsters in Wayne and Pike counties raise and market more than 5,000 capons each year. Day-old cockerels are purchased from Mattern's Hatchery, Beaver Springs, Pa., and distributed in basic units of thirty-five chicks to each 4-H member in late May. The basic unit is provided by a local Rotary Club member, but 4-H members are free to purchase additional chicks. This year two 4-H members raised 600 capons. The birds are caponized at approximately twenty-one days of age by county extension agents and senior 4-H members. Currently five 4-H members are able to caponize proficiently.

At roundup time each 4-H member presents his Rotary sponsor with a dressed capon in repayment for the chicks provided. The Rotary Club members visit and correspond with the 4-H members, creating in many cases a close friendship between the town businessman and the rural young person.

John Creighton, Wayne County Agent and Richard Plotts, Associate County Agent, have built this program into an annual $45,000 gross business. When the aid of a second Rotary Club was enlisted two years ago, Pike County 4-H members under the direction of Joseph Staley, County Agent, joined the program.

In the course of the program several hundred youngsters have learned basic principles of poultry production, processing and marketing, as well as sound business practices. These youngsters usually bank more than $1.00 per bird profit each year. Some have made as high as $2-3 per bird when good management, good luck, and a good market all have been favorable. More information may be obtained by writing to Mr. John Creighton, Agricultural County Agent, Wayne County Courthouse, Honesdale, Pa. 18431.

Mary Pruss, Grand Champion of the Wayne-Pike 4-H Capon Round-Up, exhibits her winning birds.

Wickert Named Executive VP

John D. Wickert has been named senior executive vice president of Dauphin Deposit Trust Co., W. D. Lewis, Dauphin Deposit President, has announced.

Wickert, of 805 Mandy Lane, Camp Hill, had been senior vice president of National Central Bank.

He is secretary-treasurer of the Pennsylvania Bankers Association Political Action Council, the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance agency, the American Bankers Association Third Federal Reserve Lending Advisory Board, the Board of Clark Aviation Corp., the Advertising and Control Board for the Pennsylvania National Horse Show and on the support committee for the Hemlock Council, Girl Scouts.

Wickert is Past Chairman of the Pennsylvania Bankers Association lending committee and of the Downtown Harrisburg Association. He also has been active in United Fund solicitations.

He is married to the former Yvonne M. Miller, of New Cumberland and they have three children.

He is a member of Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church, Camp Hill, the Country Club of Harrisburg, West Shore Country Club, Harrisburg Kiwanis Club, Tuesday Club, West Shore Chamber of Commerce and the Greater Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce.

Wickert is an alumnus of Erskine College, Muhlenberg College and the Stonier Graduate School of Banking, Rutgers University.

Pennfield Promotes Harter

James H. Harter, a 15-year veteran of L. M. Sheaffer Company, Pennfield Corporation's Egg Division, has been named maintenance supervisor for the division. His promotion was announced by Donald E. Horn, general manager of L. M. Sheaffer, who added that the position was newly created.

Harter will handle operational and preventive maintenance of equipment and machinery for the processing plants and Pennfield Farms. He plans to expand the new department in the future.

Before joining Pennfield, the Ephrata High School graduate was employed by Harter's Grocery Store in Ephrata. He resides in Akron with his wife, Eleanor, and five children.

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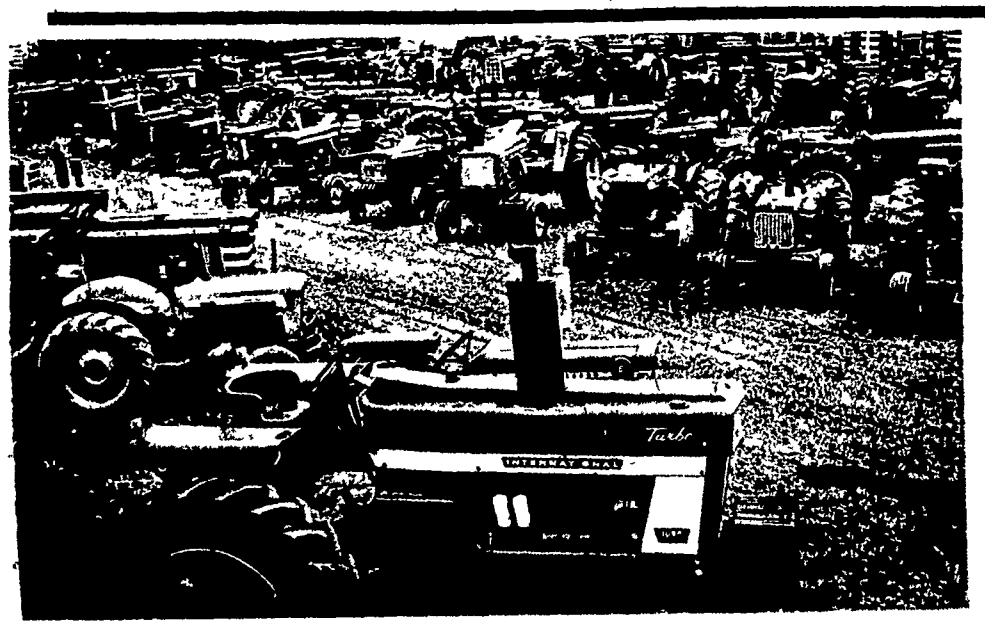

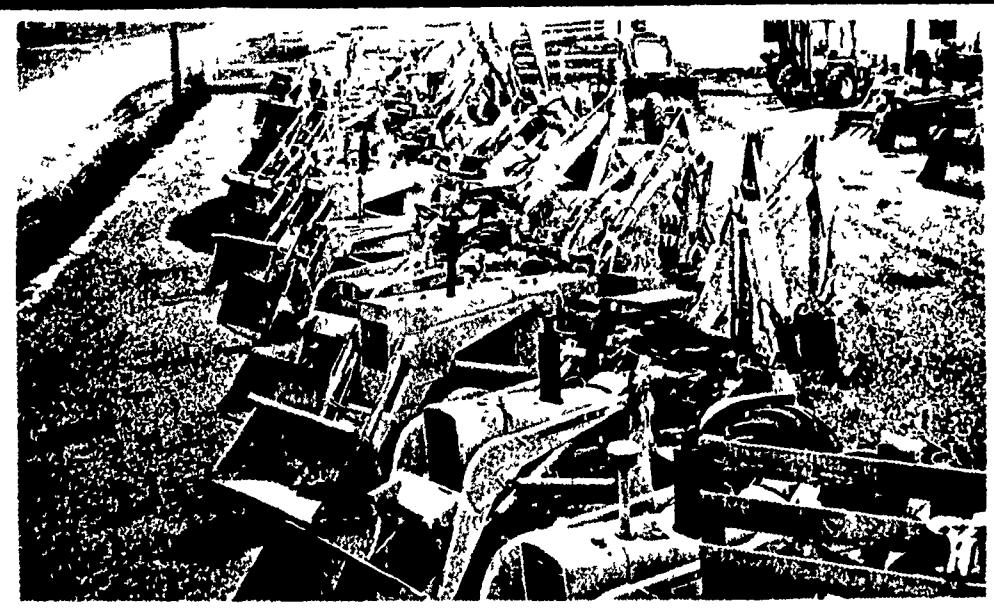

MONDAY, JAN. 28

INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT AND TRUCKS

TRACTORS

TRACTORS SOLD IN HEATED BUILDING

JOHN DEERE
2-JD A
-JD B
-JD M
-300
-420
2-630
4-730
2-720
-1010
4-2020
4-2510
-2520
2-3010
3-3020
-4010
4-4020
4-4230
-4430
-5020
4520

Nuffield
10-42

IH
-Cub Loboy
-Super A Farmall
-BN Farmall
-C Farmall
3-H Farmall
5-M Farmall
-340 Farmall
2-450 Farmall
4-656 Farmall
-706 Farmall
-806 Farmall
-756 Farmall
-856 Farmall
-826 Farmall
2-1206 Farmall
-1256 Farmall
-404 Farmall
-444 Farmall
-504 Farmall
-544 Farmall
-574 Farmall
-650 Farmall
-4100 Farmall

ALLIS CHALMERS
-D-15
2-D-17
2-D-19
-160
-180
-190XT

OLIVER
-77
2-1655
-1750
-1755
-1850
2-1800
-1950
-2055
-2150
1255
1955
1600

CASE
-430
-730
3-930
-680
-770
2-1030
-1170

MM
Jet Star 3
AT4 Plainsman

David Brown
1200

FORD
-Jubilee
-860
-3000
2-4000
2-5000

MF
-35
-65
2-165
-175
2-180
-1100
-1130
-2200

SKID LOADERS

- Owatonna 1700
- Melroe 500
- Universal
- Case 1737
2 - Case 1537
2 - Case 1530
3 - Thomas 1700

MISC. CONSTRUCTION

2 - Sweepers
1969 - Northwest Backhoe on tracks (Model 41 S/N 25082)
- Cement Mixer
2 - Winches
- Huver Maintainer
2 - Air Compressors
5 - Asphalt Rollers
- Leaf Vacum
- Dozer Blade
- Dump Body
- Trencher
5 - Road Graders
2 - Log Skidders
7 - Tag-A-Long Trailers
- Rogers 25 ton Detachable Goose-Neck Trailer
3 - Law-Boy Trailers
2 - Box Scrapers

BACKHOES

- Case 680
- AC I400
- Ford 5550
2 - Parsons 15
- M.F. 2200
2 - Ford 4500
4 - Case 580
2 - Case 530
2 - J.D. 500A
- J.D. 400
2 - Backhoe Attachments

RUBBER TIRED LOADERS

- JD 544
- Cat 922B
- Hough 100
- Terex 72-10
- Michigan 175A
- AC TL30
- Case W9D
- Hough 25
- Larain ML 225

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CRAWLERS

- AC HD4 Loader of Backhoe
- JD 40 Dozer
2 - Cat D8 Dozers (1 D8H)
- JD 450 Dozer
2 - JD 350 Dozers (1 winch, 1 hyd. angle)
- Cat 941 Loader
- Case 1000 Dozer (hyd. angle)
- AC HD3 Dozer (hyd. angle)
- JD 1010 Loader
- Case 1000 Loader of Ripper
- JD 440 Loader
- Int. T340 Loader
- Cat 955H Loader Pedal Steer
4 - Cat 955K Loaders (3-85J Series, 1 - Ripper)
2 - Case 450 Loaders
2 - AC HD6 Loaders
2 - JD 450 Loaders
- Oliver OC3 Loader
2 - Oliver OC3
- Int. 150
- Cat 955-12A Loader
- Int. TD9 Loader
- AC HD5 Loader
- Cat D4 Loader
2 - Case 800 Loaders
4 - JD 420 Dozers
2 - JD 440 Dozers (winches)
2 - JD 1010 Dozers
4 - Cat 933 Loaders

TRUCKS

2 - 1962 Ford F600 Dump
- 1965 GMC 4000 Flatbed
- 1968 GMC 5500 Flatbed
- 1966 Ford 750 Flatbed
2 - 1966 Chevy Tractors
- 1967 GMC Tractor
- 1968 Int. 3 Axle Dump
- 1968 Chev. Van
- 1966 GMC 3 Axle Dump
- 1969 Int. 10 Wheel Dump
- 1972 Chev. Flatbed
- 1969 Ford Cement Mixer Truck
- 1963 Chev. 10 Wheel Dump
2 - 1964 Ford 10 Wheel Dump
- 1969 Int. Truck Tractor
- 1973 Ford Pickup
2 - 1962 Int. Dump Trucks
- 1967 Chev. Flatbed
- 1970 Chev. Rollback
- 1970 Ford Horsevan
- 1968 GMC Welder Truck
5 - Mack Tractors

COMBINES

- AC Gleaner C2
- AC Gleaner E
- AC 4 Row Cornhead
3 - AC 2 Row Cornheads
2 - JD 40
2 - JD 3 Row Cornheads
3 - JD 2 Row Cornheads
- JD 30
3 - MC 203
- MC 3 Row Cornhead
- MC 80
- MC 13' Grain Platform
3 - Int. 315
2 - MF 510
2 - MF 2 Row Cornheads
3 - MF Grainheads
2 - NI Uni-Systems
2 - NI Uni-Harvesters
- NI Uni-Husker
2 - NI Uni- Pick-Up Heads

PLOWS

2 - AC 3X
2 - AC 4X (1 steerable)
2 - AC 5X (steerable)
- AC 7X (steerable)
- Ford 1X
4 - Ford 2X
3 - Ford 3X
- Ford 4X
- JD 2X 3'
10 - JD 3X
10 - JD 4X (7 steerable)
- JD 4' Automatic Reset (steerable)
6 - JD 5X (steerable)
3 - JD 5X Reset (steerable)
- JD 6X
3 - Oliver 2X
3 - Oliver 4X (2 steerable)
2 - Oliver 4X (steerable)
2 - Oliver 5X (steerable)
- Oliver 5X Reset (steerable)
2 - Int. 1X
3 - Int. 2X
6 - Int. 3X
6 - Int. 4X (5 steerable)
5 - Int. 5X (4 steerable)
- Int. 6X (steerable)
- Int. 7X (steerable)
2 - National 3X

RAKES

4 - NH (late)
3 - NI (late)
2 - JD (late)
5 - Misc.

TUES., JAN. 29

FARM MACHINERY

MISC. FARM EQUIPMENT

20 - 3' Blades
40 - Gravity Bins
6 - Corn Cribs
4 - Garden Tractors
25 - Gates
12 - Post-Hole Diggers
- Int. 2 Row Potato Digger
30 - Sections of Rotary Hoe
20 - Rotary Mowers
6 - Seeders
3 - Sprayers
10 - Snowmobiles - Used
12 - Snow Plows
3 - Snow Blowers

HAY CRUSHERS

- NS Cut-Ditioner
- MC Crusher
4 - NS Crushers
4 - AC Crushers
2 - JD
- Gehl

CULTIPACKERS

12 - Various

FERT. DRILLS & SPREADERS

6 - Misc. Drills
10 - Spreaders

DISC HARROWS

8 - Int. Pull Type
2 - Int. FH
8 - Int. Wheel Discs
8 - JD Pull Type
16 - JD Wheel Discs
4 - JD Offset Discs
- Case Wheel Disc
5 - Oliver Wheel Discs
- Athens Offset Disc
- King Offset Disc
- Miller Offset Disc
- Long Offset Disc
2 - Ford 3 Pt. Discs

CORN PICKERS

- NS 310
- NS 323
4 - NS 2 Row Mtd.
2 - NS Husking Bed
2 - NS Grinder Attach.
6 - NS Sheller Attach.
11 - NS 2 Row Pull Type
- Int. 2 MH
- Ford 2 Row Mtd.
2 - Ford 1 Row Mtd.
- Int. 234
- MM 2 Row Pull Type
2 - Oliver 73 H

CULTIMULCHERS

3 - JD
3 - Chattanooga
4 - Brillion
- Durham

WAGONS

10 - Self Unloading
4 - Flatbed
3 - Trailers

MOWER CONDITIONERS

- MC 201 Self-Propelled
- NH 565
2 - NH 469
2 - Owatonna 9'
- AC 9'
2 - NH 460

LOADERS

30 - Assorted Loaders of various makes and models including some new

CULTIVATORS

10 - Ford 2 Row 3 Pt.
4 - JD 4 Row Rear Mtd.
6 - Misc. JD
2 - Int. 4 Row Rear Mtd.
20 - Misc. Int.
2 - Case Field Cult.
2 - JD Field Cult.
10 - Misc. Cult.

CORN SHELLERS

3 - MM
1 - JD

BLOWERS

3 - Gehl
2 - Kools
2 - NH
- Fox
- Supreme

BALERS

- NH 68 W/PTO Thrower
- AC 302 W/PTO Thrower
- AC 303 W/PTO Thrower
- NH 66
- 4 Balethrower Attach.

MOWERS

1 - Case
5 - Int.
8 - JD
4 - NH
1 - MF
2 - Mott

CORN PLANTERS

- New Int. 2 Row
6 - Int. 2 Row
6 - Int. 4 Row
4 - JD 2 Row
3 - JD 4 Row
- JD 8 Row
- Oliver 4 Row
- MM 4 Row
- MF 4 Row
- MF 6 Row
- MF 2 Row
Ford 4 Row
Ford 2 Row
- AC 2 Row
- Case 4 Row Chisel Planter

GRAIN DRILLS

6 - JD
2 - Int.
- MI
- SC

SPREADERS

6 - Starline
8 - NI
5 - NH
2 - Olivers
3 - MC
- AC

FORKLIFTS

- Towmotor LT 72
- AC I 600
- Baker
- Int. 7000
2 - Case 580
- Taylor

ELEVATORS

12 - Various Makes & Lengths

HARROWS

3 - Spike
- Oliver Wheel Harrow
- Brillion Wheel Harrow
15 - Misc. Spring Harrows

HARVESTERS

- Int. 50
2 - Int. 16
- NH 818
2 - Case 300
3 - NH 717
- JD 38
3 - Fox Harvesters
- NH 818 Self-Propelled
- Gehl Self-Propelled
10 - Misc. Corn & Pick up Attachments

FEED MILLS

2 - Helix
- JD
2 - NH
- Int.

STALK CHOPPERS

3 - NH 36
2 - JD 16A
2 - JD 15
2 - Ford Rear Mtd.
3 - Brady
4 - NH 33
- AC 56
- Gehl 72
- Bearcat
4 - Misc.

ATTENTION — FARMERS & DEALERS: This will be one of the largest line of Farm & Industrial Equipment ever to be sold at auction. Selling will be Monday, Jan. 28 starting at 9 o'clock a.m. Construction equipment and trucks. Farm Tractors sell at 1 o'clock Monday. All other farm equipment will sell starting at 9 o'clock Tuesday. Don't miss this sale - Everything must be sold to the highest bidder. We invite you as buyer or visitor.
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Ruth Brown

At Home in a Man's World

By Sally Bair
Feature Writer

Lancaster Stock Yards is pretty much a man's world, but Mrs. Ruth Brown feels right at home there.

She's a weighmaster at the Stock Yards, and has been working around the Yards for nearly 20 years. You can tell when she talks that working with cattle comes as naturally for her as baking a cake for other women.

There are many benefits to her job, the way she tells it, and one of the biggest is that she gets to see her husband, Robert, occasionally during the day because he's a weighmaster there too.

In fact, Ruth's whole involvement at the Stock Yards began as a family affair. Her husband worked for the Reliable Truck Company which was founded by his father, George, in 1933. After his father's death, he continued to manage the trucking company for his mother. Loading cattle at 2 or 3 o-clock in the morning is not exactly exciting business to most people, and getting reliable help was always a problem, according to Ruth. So she just began to pitch in. "Sometimes," she says, "I'd get his drivers out of bed and drive them to work. Occasionally when you called them and thought they were up, they still wouldn't show."

Since the cattle needed to be trucked regardless of the help available, she would help "gather up animals." She recalls the day she loaded 500 head of butcher cattle alone. She makes it sound easy, but it must take some doing to round them up and get them through the myriad of passageways that make up the Stock Yards and onto the right trucks.

When the trucking company was sold in 1968 she worked in the office for a while, and then as a clerk at the auction, and finally became a weighmaster during the past year. She enjoys her job a lot, but would like to be outside even more. "I would like to help to load again. They won't let me because they say they don't want me to get hurt. But I won't get hurt any quicker than any man," she says with a confident laugh.

When pressed, she said, "I've had a couple of close calls, but I've never been hurt." She then related how she was being cornered by a bull once and she figured if she ran and fell he'd run right over her. So she decided to stand firm and he wedged her against a fence. She said, "I just kept looking at him and pushing until someone distracted him. It's good he didn't have horns."

A weighmaster, of course, weighs cattle as needed and writes up the tickets. But Ruth also keeps the weigh area and scale yard clean. When traffic is slow, as happens often the course of a day, she reads or prepares the tickets for the next day's auction.

Mrs. Brown's job may be a little unusual, but so is her attitude. She says, "I like to work and be kept busy." And so, she doesn't just do her job, but she often does a little extra. She pooh-poohs the idea that she is out of the ordinary, but she can fix a fence as easily as write her name, and when she grabs a shovel you can tell she knows what she's doing. As she cleaned out the scale yard, she pointed to a repaired slat on the floor and said, "I did fix the floor. I asked the carpenters to do it, but they never seemed to get around to it, so I just did it."

Scraping up the scale yard is just part of Ruth's work every day as weighmaster at the Stock Yards.

Around her home she's just as handy, admitting to having painted the exterior of their home. She also does "electrical work and carpentry because my husband never has time - and it saves a lot of money."

Monday, Wednesday and Fridays are auction days at the Stock Yards and then Ruth becomes a clerk and dials the weight of the animals to be posted for the buyers. Ruth is one of the few women present during the spirited auctioning, and is certainly one of the most informed. She said, "On auction days I work until I'm finished," adding that it could be 6 or 7 in the evening. Her days begin at the Yards at 6:30 a.m., 5:30 a.m. on Mondays. She admits she doesn't particularly like getting up so early.

While Sundays may be her day of rest, Ruth doesn't stay away from the Stock Yards. One of the great joys in her work is feeding the stray cats, and of course they must be fed on Sundays too. She says there are "about 20 cats I feed - I've been feeding them for years." It's no small matter either, because she says she buys about 5 to 6 pounds of cat food weekly and about 3 to 4 quarts of milk daily. The cats look well fed and contented!

Ruth shows a natural affection for animals, and not just those that pass through the Stock Yards-she had a few that stayed for a while. It seems people gave her animals - calves and goats - to care for. At one point she had collected a herd of 20 goats which she finally had to sell - twice. The first purchaser, a York Countian, wasn't pleased when the goats destroyed a neighbor's garden, so he gave them back and she sold them again. One of her goats had triplets which she gave away, and she talks fondly about two goats called "Chocolate" and "Vanilla," who "would follow you anywhere if you had a bottle in your hand."

Her soft spot for animals shows, and her comment on the recent 4-H Baby Beef Round-Up was, "I couldn't raise those animals and sell them."

In her office at the Stock Yards, she had built a pen which occasionally houses her two Cocker Spaniel puppies who keep her company during the day. The puppies, Smokey and Inky, are four months old and clearly bring her great pleasure. She gets tears in her eyes as she talks about the two dogs they replaced. They both were named Inky and one had been with the Browns for 15 years and one for 11 years.

When it was pointed out that she is a true women's libber - before it became fashionable to hold a man's job - Mrs. Brown scoffed and said, "I don't think anything of it. I just do my job. I think those women are crazy - why don't they mind their own business? What some people will do to be in the paper!" She adds, "If they do their work I don't know how they have time to picket."

When asked about the effect of the shortage of beef on her work last summer she said, "I don't think there was a shortage of beef. I don't think there's a shortage of gasoline either." She did say, however, that she thinks the Stock Yards will not be affected by any possible rationing, noting that during World War II they had plenty of gas for their trucking needs.

Some changes have taken place in the years Ruth has been around the Stock Yards. Things have slowed down for one thing. She said, "Heavens no, there is not nearly as much activity as there once was. A lot of cattle go directly to the farms from the South, without going through the Stock Yards." She added, "There used to be a lot shipped by train, but not anymore."

The Stock Yards have a "short leg" division which includes hogs, sheep and calves, and last summer they even hosted 100 horses from the New Holland auction. The horses were brought to the Stock Yards during the height of the controversy over horses being sold for human consumption. These horses were eventually sold to Italy, and although their ultimate destination was not clear, Ruth said the buyers told her they were not supposed to be eaten.

For all her ability and enjoyment of her job at the Stock Yards, Ruth is not even a farm girl. She says she was born and raised "in the country" on the Old Philadelphia Pike, but not on a farm. Her family eventually moved to Lancaster, on Ranck Avenue, and it was there that she met her husband - who was the boy next door. Another myth she sets to rest is that of shaky teenage marriages. The Browns were married when she was 16, and they've been happily wed for 44 years.

Before she began hanging around the Stock Yards with her husband, Ruth worked for C. S. Conrad, in interior decorating. She put up the rods and hung drapes, commenting that in those days you had to "string the cord," and custom cut the rods. She had cleaned house for Mrs. Conrad one day a week for 15 years, and then worked for Mr. Conrad for 15 years.

In their few moments of spare time, the Browns enjoy fishing and golfing, but they don't have time for much of either any more, according to Ruth. She said they used to play 3 or 4 rounds in one day. Now they travel to Newmanstown once or twice a year to fish for trout.

Mrs. Brown is cheerfully at home in her man's world, and it's quite evident that the men who work with her look at her not as a woman, but simply as a competent weighmaster. About the men she says, "They all treat me nice. I haven't any complaints in all the years I've been here."

Reading the scales accurately is what it's all about for Mrs. Ruth Brown.

Ruth Brown is writing up the ticket on some newly arrived animals at the Stock Yards.

Farm Women Calendar

Wednesdsday, January 16

10:00 a.m. - Farm Women Society 14 meeting at the home of Mrs. Leon Thomas, 217 Willow Street Pike.

Thursday, January 17

Farm Women Societies 2 and 3 entertain guests at Conestoga View.

Farm Women Society 31 visit Conestoga View.

Saturday, January 19

1:30 p.m. - Farm Women Society 3 meeting at the home of Mrs. Earl Stauffer, Ephrata RD1.

2:00 p.m. - Farm Women Society 8 meeting at the home of Mrs. Martin Musser, 327 S. Market Ave., Mount Joy,

7:00 p.m. - Farm Women Society 31 and husbands meet at Strasburg Bowling Alley.

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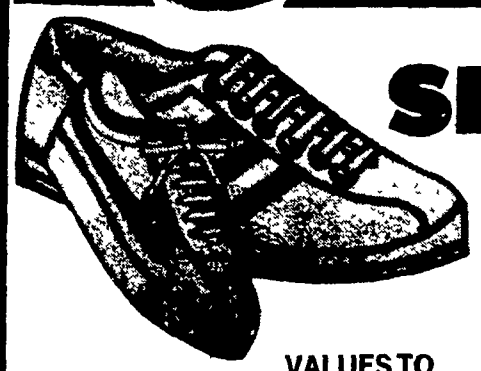

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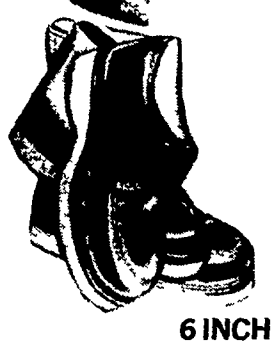

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Home on the Range

With the holidays now behind us, most families will try to get back to their normal dinner routines. After consuming all of those calories in holiday treats, how about meat and a green salad for a change?

In looking through our files, I find many recipes for cakes and cookies for desserts. Needed are recipes for the main course, such as soups, fresh green salads, fresh fruit salads, stews, meats, etc. Did you know that beef (prime ribs, roast) is delicious packed and baked in rock salt - it is. The meat is so tender it melts in your mouth. Care to help us out? Send your recipes to "Recipes" Lancaster Farming, P.O. Box 266, Lititz, Penna. 17543.

We will continue to publish all of your recipes for desserts, giving you a selection of foods to help you plan your complete meal.

Cheese Meat Loaf

1 egg, slightly beaten
½ cup milk
¾ cup rolled oats
1 pound ground beef
3 tablespoons onion, finely chopped
1 teaspoon salt
½ cup cheese, chopped

Combine all ingredients; mix well. Shape into a loaf six inches long. Bake about one hour until brown. Remove excess fat.

Let stand about 10 minutes for easy slicing.

Note: For a change shape into six loves and put into muffin tins; baking time will be shorter.

Mrs. Ira Davis
Quarryville

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Green Beans Goldenrod

2 9-ounce packages frozen cut green beans
2 hard cooked eggs
1 teaspoon butter
2 teaspoons flour
¼ teaspoon salt
⅛ teaspoon pepper
½ cup milk
½ cup mayonnaise

Cook green beans.

Chop egg whites. Sieve yolks. Melt butter in saucepan; blend in flour, salt and pepper. Stir in milk gradually. Cook over medium heat, stirring until thickened. Stir in chopped egg whites. Remove from heat, stir in mayonnaise.

Drain beans. Place in serving dish. Spoon on sauce. Top with yolks.

Nancy Hoover
Versailles, MO.

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Salad Dressing

2 cups water
½ cup soya oil
½ cup sugar
½ cup vinegar or lemon juice
½ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon tumeric
¼ teaspoon all seasoning or celery oil, if desired

Put together and bring to a boil., Mix two tablespoons clear jell with a little water; add an egg and beat well, then stir in boiling mixture to thicken. Boil 10 minutes, slowly.

Add:

1 tablespoon prepared mustard
2 tablespoons mayonnaise

Beat well with egg beater. Put in jar, ready to use.

Rebecca Fisher
RD1
Oxford

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Cooked Salad Dressing

8 egg yolks or 4 eggs
½ cup sugar
½ teaspoon dry mustard
1 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons all-purpose flour
½ cup cream, sweet or sour
¾ cup cider vinegar
¼ cup water

Place eggs in mixing bowl and beat slightly. To them, add the sugar, mustard, salt and flour. Beat until light and fluffy. Add cream and beat again. Place vinegar and water in saucepan and heat. When hot, slowly add egg mixture, stirring constantly. Continue beating until mixture thickens.

This is a rich salad dressing, delicious on cabbage slaw or potato salad. Makes about one and one-half pints.

Mrs. Milton Brubaker
Millmont RD1

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Cottage Cheese

5 quarts sweet milk
1 quart fresh buttermilk
3 eggs, beaten

Have the milk boiling. Then mix the eggs and buttermilk together and stir into boiling milk. Let set on burner about two minutes longer, then remove and let it set off burner one-half hour. Keep a cover on. (Light destroys the Vitamin B in milk.) Then put in cheese cloth and let drain overnight.

(I usually let it drain only about an hour, then I stir a little milk or cream and salt to taste into it.)

Mrs. Elam B. Rutt
RD1
Ephrata

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Dinner Rolls

1 package yeast
2 tablespoons sugar
1 cup warm milk (115 degrees)
½ cup warm water (110 degrees)
1 teasoon salt
1 egg, beaten
¾ cup melted butter
6 cups flour

Put yeast in warm water. Mix sugar, milk, salt and eggs. Add yeast mixture. Add 3 cups flour and butter; mix with mixer until it falls off a spoon in sheets, about 7 minutes. Mix in 3 more cups flour, or just enough to make a soft dough to work.

Refrigerate overnight. Make into desired shapes and bake at 350 degrees for 20 minutes, or until browned.

Mrs. Elam Rutt
RD1
Ephrata

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Chicken and Corn Casserole

1-3 cup butter or margarine, melted
1-3 cup flour
¾ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon pepper
½ teaspoon celery salt
2 cups milk
1 whole, small chicken, cook in salt water, boned and cut up, or left over chicken
2 cups creamed corn
¼ cup bread or cracker crumbs
1 talbespoon butter

Melt butter over low heat. Stir in flour, salt, pepper and celery salt. Cook until smooth. Remove from heat, add milk, bring to boiling for one minute.

Combine sauce, cut-up chicken and corn.

Pour into one and one-half quart casserole. Top with crumbs, dot with butter and bake at 350 degrees for 25 to 30 minutes or until brown on top.

Note: Instead of corn, you may use 3 cups thinly sliced potatoes and bake for 45 minutes covered at 350 degrees, then uncover and bake for 20 to 30 minutes.

Mrs. Franklin N. Hoover
New Holland RD1

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Coffee Cake

3½ cups all purpose flour (sift before measuring)
2 cups sugar
½ pound butter
3 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt

Cut together all ingredients. Remove one cup. To this add teaspoon cinnamon for topping.

Add to first mixture: 2 eggs beaten, 1 cup milk, 1 teaspoon vanilla. Beat well.

Grease and flour two 8-inch cake pans. Divide batter in two pans. Sprinkle crumbs on top. Bake at 350 degrees about 35 minutes or until cakes are done.

Mrs. Rufus G. Martin
RD3
Ephrata

Snowballs

2 cups sugar
5 egg whites
¾ cup butter
1 cup sweet milk
2 teaspoons baking powder
3 cups flour

Blend sugar, butter together, and add milk, flour, baking powder. Mix well. Add last, all egg whites, which have been beaten till stiff. Blend with as few strokes as possible.

Pour into a 10"x6" cake pan. When cool, ice with your favorite icing, cut in squares and roll in fresh coconut. This is great for the children.

Mrs. Joseph M. Weaver
Ephrata RD1

Tasty -Topic

Jiffy Chow Mein

1½ pounds ground beef
1 medium onion, sliced
1½ cups chopped celery
1 cup water
1 can (16 ounces) chop suey vegetables, drained
¼ cup soy sauce
½ teaspoon sugar
2 tablespoons water
2 tablespoons cornstarch

Brown ground beef in large frying-pan Pour off drippings. Add onion, celery and 1 cup water. Cover tightly and simmer 15 minutes Add chop suey vegetables Combine soy sauce, sugar, 2 tablespoons water and cornstarch and add to meat mixture Continue cooking for 5 minutes or until sauce is slightly thickened Serve with Chinese noodles. 6 servings.

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LADIES HAVE YOU HEARD?

By Doris Thomas, Extension Home Economist

Cranberries–
The Fruit With Bounce

As a cranberry eater, you may think that all cranberries are alike--that "When you've seen one, you've seen 'em all."

Actually, there are many cranberry varieties. All varieties share a common trait–the ability, if ripe, to bounce. This test comes after harvesting when the berries are put through a machine which blows the chaff away. Mechanical separators give each berry seven chances to bounce over four-inch barriers. Good firm cranberries will bounce; "bounce-less" berries are discarded as unfit for marketing.

On the market, cranberries are sold fresh or as convenience products in bottles, jars, and cans. Such processed products should be stored in a cool, dry place to retain best quality. However, once the container has been opened, handle the product carefully as you would any perishable food. Leftovers should be refrigerated.

This recipe for festive JELLIED CRANBERRY-TURKEY LOAF, boasting cranberry sauce and turkey, is designed to highlight any buffet table. It's easily made to have ready and waiting for guests:

Cranberry layer:
1 envelope unflavored gelatin
¼ cup cold water
1 can (1 pound) whole berry cranberry sauce
1 can (9 ounces) crushed pineapple
1-3 cup broken nutmeats
1 tablespoon lemon juice

Soften gelatin in cold water. Dissolve over hot water. Add remaining ingredients. Turn into a loaf pan 10x6x1½ inches. Chill well.

Turkey layer:
1 envelope unflavored gelatin
¼ cup cold water
½ cup cold water
¾ cup mayonnaise
2 tablespoons lemon juice
Grated rind of ½ lemon
½ teaspoon salt
2 cups diced cooked turkey
Add:
½ cup diced celery

Soften gelatin in ¼ cup cold water. Dissolve over hot water. Combine with remaining ingredients. Spoon over cranberry layer. Chill thoroughly until firm. Turn out on crisp greens. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

How To Select Knitwear

More and more consumers are buying knitwear at a rate never matched before– even by wash-and-wear clothing when it was introduced on the market.

Although knits, especially for men, are riding the crest in popularity they aren't the answer – for everyone. Knitwear has both good and bad points and requires thoughtful buying decisions.

Consumers were quick to recognize the good things about knits in men's clothing. Knit suits look and feel good. The knits are supple–they "give" to body movements and because of this are more comfortable to wear than most woven fabrics.

Double-knit suits also wrinkle less and won't pucker. They keep their creases and shapes and are ideal for travel. One of their greatest assets is that they are virtually uncrushable even when folded and packed in a suitcase. And they require little care and look new longer.

Consumers have also noticed some things to be cautious about with knits. Knits tend to snag. Some people find synthetic-knit fabrics too warm for summerwear or too cold for winter. And because of the variety of natural fibers, synthetic fibers and blends of both that are used in knits, care must be taken in cleaning and laundering.

Knits made of cotton, wool or natural fibers with no shrink-resistant finish may shrink from being wet. Polyesters and acrylics are usually heat-set to hold their size and tend to be more stable.

There is no way you can evaluate snag potential on the spot. But it helps to remember that any tightly knitted fabric will snag as readily as a rough-textured surface knit.

Knits are great for men and women's wear. But shop for them with an eye on care and wearability.

Farm Women Societies

Society 6

The monthly meeting of Farm Women Society 6 was held on Saturday, Jan. 5, at the United Methodist Church in Milton Grove.

Barbara Eberly led the devotions. She read two poems "A Living Sermon" and "You Must Meet God in the Morning". The group then said the Twenty-third Psalm and prayed the Lord's Prayer. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Reports were given of food and fruit baskets given to members and friends for the Christmas holidays.

The program consisted of a slide presentation by Muriel Saylor which showed highlights of her trip to islands and countries around the Pacific Ocean. They included Hawaii, Tahiti, The Fijis, New Zealand, Australia, The Philippines, Hong Kong, Taiwan, and Japan. Included were pictures of her son's wedding in the Phillipines.

The hostesses were Mary Thome, Alice Greiner, Minnie Kolp, and Miriam Heisey.

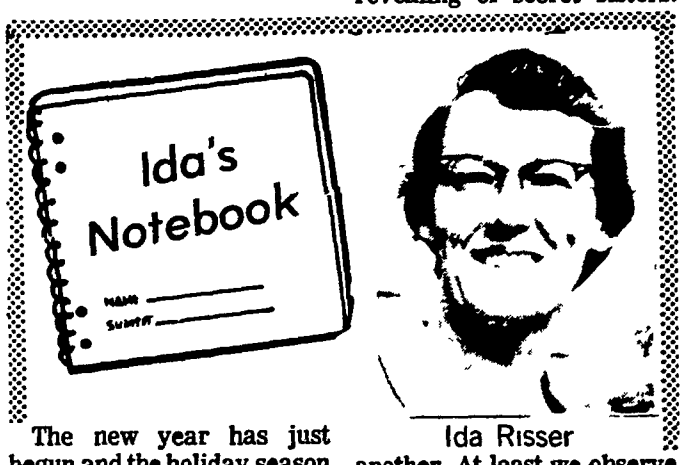
Society 31

Farm Women Society 31 held their snow-delayed Christmas party recently at the home of Mrs. Anna Mary Glick. Two new members, Mrs. Linda Landis and Mrs. Ann Risser were installed.

The group decided to pay banquet and room expenses for delegates going to the state convention. They are Mrs. Connie Rutt, Mrs. Harriet Spayd, and Mrs. Eleanor Kreider.

The visit to Conestoga View which had been snowed out has been rescheduled for Thursday Jan. 17. Solanco Community Health Clinic was suggested as a possibility for the county project this year.

The program was an original poem by Mrs. Susan Kauffman describing the year's events, games, and revealing of secret sisters.



Ida Risser

The new year has just begun and the holiday season is behind us. We would like to sit down and enjoy our winter of rest and catch up on some reading, writing or sewing. But no, that's impossible, as the mailman just brought the 1974 seed catalog.

As we look over the new varieties of flowers and the imporved vegetables, we're forced to think ahead and plan the toil of another summer. The silver medal winners are perfection itself in the colored illustrations, but somehow in my garden they attract bugs and turn out less than perfect.

Each growing season we are challenged anew to do better than the year before and profit by our mistakes. Our ten year old has already marked the catalog to show me which annuals she wants to plant for 4-H in 1974.

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Are you observant? Most of us are at one time or another. At least we observe those things we are interested in; why, our boys never fail to see when the cookie jar has been filled.

It seems we often see what we should not see and then fail to see what we should notice. Oh, we notice the film of dust on a neighbor's table but we forget to mention a prized heirloom which sits quietly in a corner. We can walk into a room and out again without even noticing the wallpaper unless, of course, we've just done some repapering in our own home.

As pre-schoolers, my children saw so many things and asked so many questions that often I didn't have an answer. One night a little boy looked at the tiny red lights on a far-away tower and asked me how the lights stay in the sky.

"Do they nail them up there?" he inquired. He is now grown, but still quite observant.

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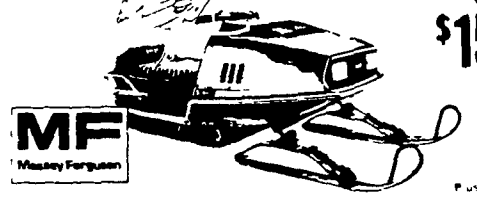

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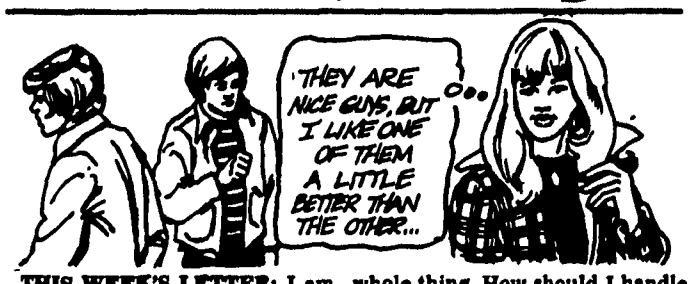

THIS WEEK'S LETTER: I am 15 years old and I have this problem. There are two guys at school that like me and they are constantly trying to get me to like them. One night one of the guys came over and the other guy got so mad he didn't speak to anyone the next day until I said "Hi" to him and talked with him. He is really mad at the guy that came over. The day before it all happened they were good friends - always hanging around with each other. They are really nice guys, but I like one of them a little better than the other one, and I don't want to hurt the other guy's feelings. They both always phone me and talk to me and we always get along. But now, they both want to get more serious with me. I am really confused about the whole thing. How should I handle it? What should I do?

OUR REPLY: There are two different ways you can handle this situation and only you can decide which is the right way for you to go. If you like them both and don't want to hurt anyone's feelings you could tell them that you like them both, but just as friends - tell them you don't want to get serious. The other way is to get serious with one, but realize that you'll probably lose the friendship of the other. If you should take the second way, remember this won't be the first or the last disappointment for the other guy.

If you have a teenage problem you want to discuss or an observation to make, address your letter to FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS, COMMUNITY AND SUBURBAN PRESS SERVICE, FRANKFORT, KY. 40601.

Thought For Food

Goose Soup

Melt 2 tablespoons rendered goose fat (use drippings from roasting goose) in a Dutch oven or large kettle. Saute 1 cup sliced onion until limp but not browned. Add goose giblets and neck, 5 cups water, 1 teaspoon salt and ½ teaspoon celery salt. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat, cover and simmer 1 hour. Remove meat with a slotted spoon. Cut meat off neck and finely chop giblets; return meat to kettle. If desired, add leftover cut-up roast goose. And 1 can (1 lb.) tomatoes, cut up, 1 cup pearl barley, 1 teaspoon beef stock base and ½ teaspoon thyme. Return to a boil, cover and simmer 1 additional hour. Makes about 2 quarts.

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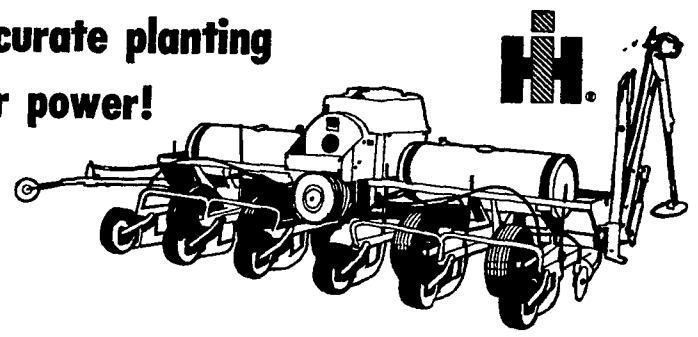

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Cheese Whey has New Food Value

Cheese whey was formerly used for hog feed, put on the land, or dumped in streams. Now, says Sid Barnard, Extension dairy specialist at The Pennsylvania State University, about 50 percent of it is used for human or animal feed. And this amount will greatly increase in the next few years.

Until recently, the primary use for whey was in the confectionary or bakery industry. The cheese whey, from cheddar, cottage and other cheeses was dried and sold in concentrated powder form.

World sources of protein have decreased making drying of whey economically feasible. As prices of other protein become competitive, new uses for cheese whey are being explored.

Dried whey containing 12 to 14 percent protein is being used in beverages, dairy products and other dry food mixes. New techniques for drying and splitting the fractions of whey have been developed. This permits higher protein content and less lactose, although at increased cost, explains Barnard.

Cheese whey is used in ice cream and sherbets as a partial source of milk solids and to increase the protein content. It enhances fruit flavors because of it's tart taste. Fortification of citrus and carbonated beverages with protein has great potential. Carbonated beverages usually contain only carbohydrates. This permits the addition of protein and some vitamins and minerals. Protein fortified candies have recently been marketed, too, according to Barnard.

You will see whey solids as an ingredient in many foods you buy. It increases nutritional value and eliminates a former disposal problem.

Growing It Faster

One reason producers have been able to keep up with the increasing consumer demand for beef is the phenomenal increase in the growth rate of animals due to genetic improvements and increased feeding efficiencies. This means a sharp reduction in the time required from range (ranch) to range (kitchen). It now takes less than 15 months from the time a calf is born until it grows into a 1,100 pound market-weight steer. Forty years ago the process took about three years

More Income, More Demand

Beef and other meat prices are influenced both by supply and demand. With the removal of beef price controls and other uncertainties, supplies are moving upward in response to demand Factors influencing the demand side include expanded employment, with 5 3 million more people employed than two years ago; increased disposable income - up to $139 billion nationally (an increase of 18½ percent over the past two years); and the growing affluence of other developed nations, creating stronger world demand for meat products.

Prize Winning Apple Recipes

A recipe with the intriguing name of "Apple Green Bean Eden" made by Bessie Irene Bliss, Box 45, James City, Elk County, won first prize of $100 in the 1973 Pennsylvania Apple Recipe Contest.

The contest, which attracted 812 entries from all parts of the state, was sponsored by the Apple Marketing Board in cooperation with the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture.

Mrs. Bliss' recipe calls for a pound of cooking apples and a pound of cooked green beans heated briefly with sugar, light cream and butter or margarine. "It is delicious with ham," she says.

Second prize of $75 went to Mrs. Betty Sanders, Box 22, Scotland, with an apple chutney recipe. Mrs. Mary Follmer, 912 South Market Street, Bloomsburg, won third prize of $50 for an "apple indian pudding." Fourth award of $35 was won by Mrs. James McCutcheon, Hershey, for an "Apple sweet potato salad."

The winning recipes will be published and made available to consumers through the Pennsylvania Apple Marketing Program, which is funded by the state's apple growers.

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New Editor For NDC

Mrs. Jeannette S. Morrow has joined the staff of National Dairy Council as an editor of Educational Materials. She will serve in the Division of Nutrition Education.

Mrs. Morrow received her B.S. degree in Journalism from Ohio University of Athens, Ohio, with minors in home economics and chemistry. Since graduation, she has been engaged in journalism activities. She served for almost a year as a reporter with a Central Ohio daily newspaper. Similarly, she was for one year an editorial assistant in the publications and public services department of Battelle Columbus Laboratories, a contract research organization.

In making the announcement of Mrs. Morrow's appointment, Dr. M. F. Brink, NDC president, said:

"In her assignment at NDC, Mrs. Morrow will be involved in developing materials for use in the educational phase of the Dairy Council program, preparation of final copy for the printer, proofreading, investigational study with emphasis in the field of education, field testing when materials are in development, interpretation of materials to affiliated Dairy Council units, and evaluation."

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York County 4-H Sheep Club.

Christian Herr, 12, of RD2, Narvon, Lancaster County, placed second and Janet Firth, 12, of RD2, Mercer, finished third.

Dairy Competition

Area showman made a number of trips to the winner's circle in dairy contests at the Farm Show, including a champion Brown Swiss cow owned by Don Trimble and Leon Kreider, and a junior champion Holstein which was shown by Linda Kauffman. Dairy results of local interest are summarized below:

AYRSHIRE BULLS

Richard M. Lyons, of Cochranton, Crawford County, showed the grand champion Ayrshire bull. The animal, "Lyonsway B.M. John," is a bull calf.

Reserve champion Ayrshire bull, "Pepper Albi Michael," also a bull calf, was exhibited by John Ocker and Family, of RD5, Shippensburg, Cumberland County.

AYRSHIRE COWS

Kennard E. Henley, III, of RD1, Cochranville, Chester County, showing "Ardrossan GLR Minerva," a 4-year-old Ayrshire, won grand championship honors. The same animal was judged senior champion and junior show champion in earlier judging competition.

John E. Ocker, of RD5, Shippensburg, Cumberland County, won reserve grand and reserve senior championships with his 4-year-old Ayrshire, "Masonic Homes Flashy Harriet," Ocker's cow also was judged reserve junior show champion.

The junior champion, "Towerview Kelly's Judy," a senior yearling, was exhibited by Kennard E. Henley, Jr.

Reserve junior champion was shown by another member of the Henley family, Sharon Lynne. Her animal, "Towerview Kelly's Beth," is a senior yearling.

Premier exhibitor and premier breeder awards went to John E. Ocker and Family, of RD5, Shippensburg.

AYRSHIRE JUNIOR

Kennard E. Henley, III, of RD1, Cochranville, Chester County, captured the grand championship in junior Aryshire classes with his 5-year-old cow, "Ardrossan GLR Minerva." Henley showed the reserve grand champion at last year's Farm Show.

Reserve championship honors went to "Masonic Homes Flashy Harriet," a 4-year-old shown by John E. Ocker, of RD4, Shippensburg, Cumberland County.

BROWN SWISS BULLS

Joan and Robert O. Snelling, Sr., of Birchrunville, Chester County, won the grand championship in Brown Swiss bull classes with their yearling, "Snelling Beautician Regent."

Reserve champion was "Lil-Rus Rancho JJ," a bull calf owned by Russell T. Miller, of Tamaqua, Schuylkill County.

BROWN SWISS COWS

Don Trimble and Leon Kreider, partners in Donsdell Farm, of Peach Bottom, Lancaster County, walked off with the grand championship in Brown Swiss open classes with their 5-year-old, "Whistling Hill Lady Lydia." The animal was also judged senior champion.

Reserve grand champion was "Snowdales Paula Beauty," a 5-year-old owned by Joan and Robert O. Snelling, Sr., of Burchrunville, Chester County. The same cow was the reserve senior champion

Delaware Valley College, of Doylestown, Bucks County, won the junior championship with their heifer calf, "DVC Delegate Alexis,"

Wasyl Onulack, of Coopersburg, Bucks County, showed the reserve junior champion, "Bally Chip Alma," a junior yearling.

Joan and Robert O. Snelling Sr., won the premier exhibitor award, and Delaware Valley College was recipient of the premier breeder award.

JUNIOR BROWN SWISS

David C. Nolan, of Birchrunville, Chester County, showing "Quaker West Janet Darlene," a 3-year-old Brown Swiss, captured the grand championship in junior classes. David is a member of the Tri Community 4-H Club.

"Foxtract Beautiful Tish," also a 3-year-old, exhibited by Linda Sue Witmer, of Willow Street, Lancaster County, was judged the reserve grand champion. She is a member of the Lancaster County 4-H Brown Swiss Club.

HOLSTEIN BULLS

Huntsdale Stock Farms, of Carlisle, Cumberland County, exhibiting "Huntsdale Jake Black Eagle," a yearling bull, captured the grand championship in Holstein bull classes.

The reserve grand champion, "Franlo-Alken-Don," a bull calf, was shown by Franlo-Alken Farm, of Hublersburg, Centre County.

HOLSTEIN COWS

Kerchenhill Holstein Farms, of Richland, Berks County, captured the grand championship in Holstein open judging competition with their 4-year-old, "Benbro Kingpin Polly." The same animal was also selected as senior champion in earlier judging competition.

Reserve grand champion and reserve senior champion was "Huntsdale Malinda Skycross," a 4-year-old shown by Huntsdale Stock Farms, of Carlisle, Cumberland County.

Junior champion, "Tidy Brook Rose Capsule," a senior yearling was exhibited by Carolyn Sue Myers and Lynn and Bonnie Miller, of RD1, Greencastle, Franklin County.

Providence Haven Holsteins Inc., of Carlisle, Cumberland County, exhibited the reserve junior champion, "Jaomis Barbie Reflection," a junior yearling.

Gor-Wood Acres Farm, of RD1, Mansfield, Tioga County, received the premier exhibitor award. The premier breeder award went to Kingway Holsteins, of RD2, Delta, York County.

HOLSTEIN JUNIOR

Linda Kauffman, of Elizabethtown, Lancaster County, won the Holstein Junior grand championship with her 3-year-old, "Hillglen Dixie Fashion." Linda is a member of the Lancaster County 4-H Dairy Club.

Jed Beshore, of New Cumberland, York County, showing "Beshore Appolo Nina Octa," a 4-year-old, won the reserve grand championship in Holstein judging. He is a member of the York County 4-H Dairy Club.

JERSEY BULLS

Huntsdale Stock Farms, of Carlisle, Cumberland County, won in bull classes with their bull calf, "Huntsdale Empire Charmer."

Reserve grand champion was "Top-O-Hill Criterion Special," a bull calf owned by Mildred E. Seeds, of Downingtown, Chester County.

JERSEY COWS

Huntsdale Stock Farms, of Carlisle, Cumberland County, won the grand and senior championships in Jersey judging competition at the 58th Farm Show with their 4-year-old cow, "Rolling Acres Sleeping Joy."

Reserve grand and reserve senior champion was "Wemer Milestone Kayle," owned by Thomas A. Colpetzer, of Tyrone Huntingdon County.

Leon Sollenberger, Everett, Bedford, who showed a winner in junior classes captured the junior open championship with his junior yearling "Ralaine Milkboy Dawn."

Reserve junior champion was "Ralaine Kelly Sweetpea," a senior yearling exhibited by Lori Sollenberger, Leon's brother.

Premier exhibitor and premier breeder awards were won by Mildred E. Seeds, of Downingtown, Chester County.

SWINE COMPETITION

Central Pennsylvania swine breeders dominated classes in swine judging competition at the Farm Show.

CHESTER WHITE — James T. Partlett, of Airville, York County, exhibited the champion Chester White, and Boyd Bros., of Brogue, York County, showed the reserve champion.

POLAND CHINA — The champion Poland China was

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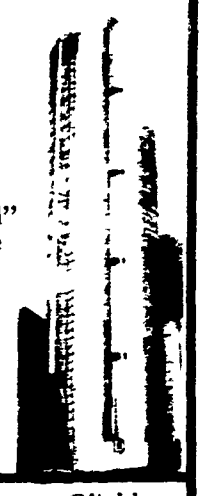

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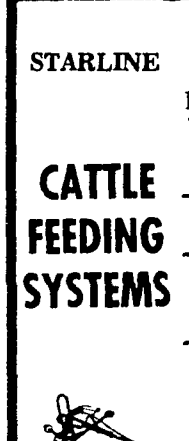

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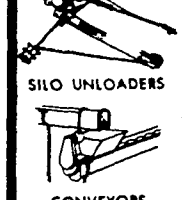

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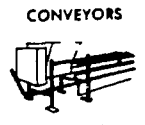

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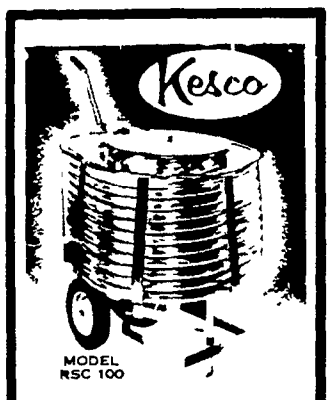

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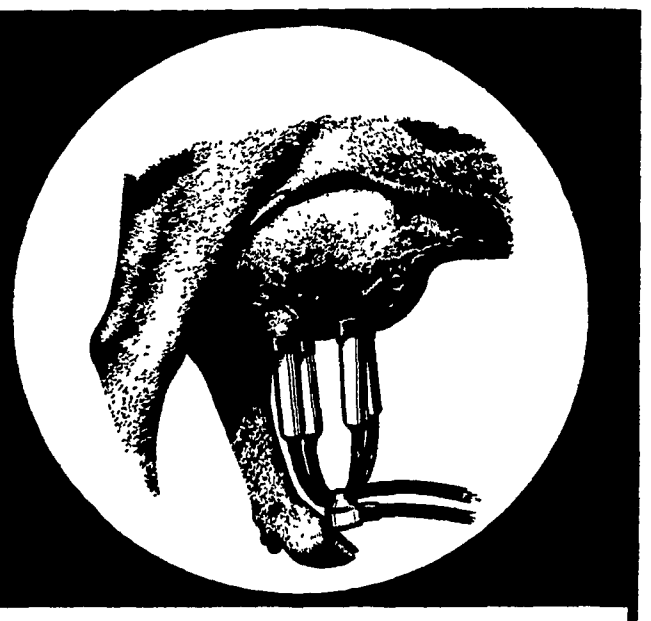

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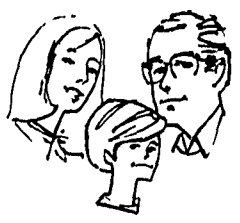


by Penny, Paul & Larry

There's a new family in town – the Wise family – who will be presenting energy conservation tips through this column.

In the column by Penny, Paul and Larry Wise, all types of energy conservation tips will be given including ones on home heating and cooling, cooking, lighting, use of appliances, and automobiles.

Reader participation in the column is encouraged. If you have a favorite way of stretching your energy dollars, whether yours go for gas, oil or electricity or a combination of the three, tell the Wise family about it by sending your suggestion to them in care of this newspaper. Any questions you might have will be welcome, too.

Use of home appliances, according to Penny, is a good place to practice conservation habits that will stretch your utility budget and promote a longer life for the appliances. Your dishwasher, for example, will use the same amount of electricity and hot water whether it is completely full or only half full – so save the dishes until there's a full load.

Paul has been doing some maintenance around the house and he has found that repairing leaky hot water faucets can save many gallons of hot water. "Often it's a simple matter of changing a washer," he says.

In past winters their son, Larry, had been a television addict when storms cancelled school and outdoor play. This year he plans to help conserve energy by working on his model plane hobby instead of turning on the t.v. when winter weather keeps him indoors.

Jumping in the car for every errand used to be our practice. Now we try to walk to places nearby.

We feel better for the exercise, and we're saving on our car's gas bills and upkeep, too. Those short trips were really wearing the car out faster.

Puttering around the kitchen is one of Paul's favorite hobbies. He's found several ways to cut down on utility bills by following some simple energy conservation practices there.

Did you know that using pots that fit the surface unit on your range and making sure that the pots have flat bottoms ensures that all the heat from the surface unit goes into the pan rather than being wasted?

In school Larry's class has been talking about ways to help families save energy at home, and he suggested that we could leave the curtains open on sunny days to take advantage of the sun to heat the rooms.

His teacher thought that was a good idea and explained that the curtains could also help to keep the heat in the house at night by preventing drafts around the windows.

To save hot water, the whole family has switched to showers from tub baths. The average tub bath takes 10 to 15 gallons of hot water while the average shower uses only eight to 12.

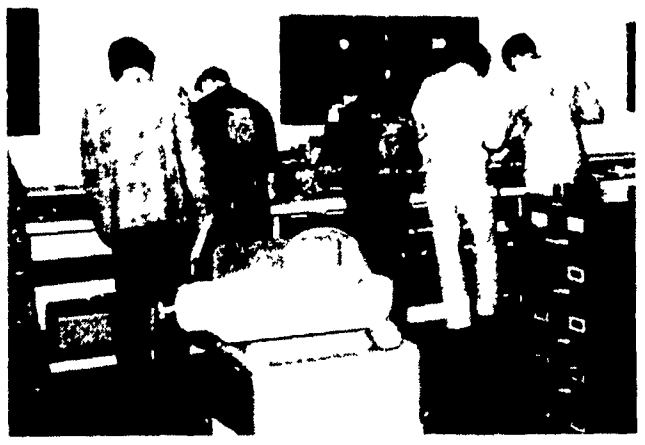
Long soaks in the shower are out now, too. We try to see who can be done fastest!

With the colder weather here, Paul decided to check the heating units in the house to make sure we were utilizing all the heat possible.

Clean filters, vents and units can make a difference in the amount of heat output. Cleaning the units two or three times a year can mean cleaner air in the house, too. Filters should be checked once a month during the winter and replaced if necessary.

Putting a humidifier in the house has helped save fuel, too, as we're more comfortable at a lower temperature with the added moisture in the air.

(This is one of a series of columns on energy conservation. Reader suggestions are welcomed and should be sent to the Wise family in care of this newspaper.)



The picture above depicts some of the activity of the FFA Area Small Gasoline Engine Contest recently held at the Garden Spot High School.

FFA Engine Contest Held

The Area Small Gasoline Engine Contest was held on December 20 at the Garden Spot High School Agricultural Department. Six teams from Lancaster and Chester Counties participated. The top three teams from the area are entitled to go to the State Contest to be held in June.

The E-town team consisting of Ken Gruber and James Rutt placed first; the Ephrata team placed second with Jim Felpel and Tom Horst troubleshooting; Grassland team placed third with Leroy Gehman and Nelson Gockley being the team; the Manheim team placed fourth with Joseph Snavely and Kevin Rohrer. The fifth place team came from Central Chester AVTS and the team consisted of Charles Pierce and Greg Hurst. Owen J. Roberts team also competed.

A contest consists of three parts with the top team score getting first place and down the line. A regular test on engines is given including the identification of 18 engine parts and tools to identify.

The second part of the contest is the use of the Small Gasoline Engines Manual to find required specification for a particular engine model.

The third part and probably most important part of the contest is the actual troubleshooting on the engine. Each engine is "bugged" with several problems and the team has to discover these problems and correct them and make the engine run correctly, all within 60 minutes. The individual with the best score will receive a small socket set donated by Morris Company. The best score this year is Ken Gruber from E-town.

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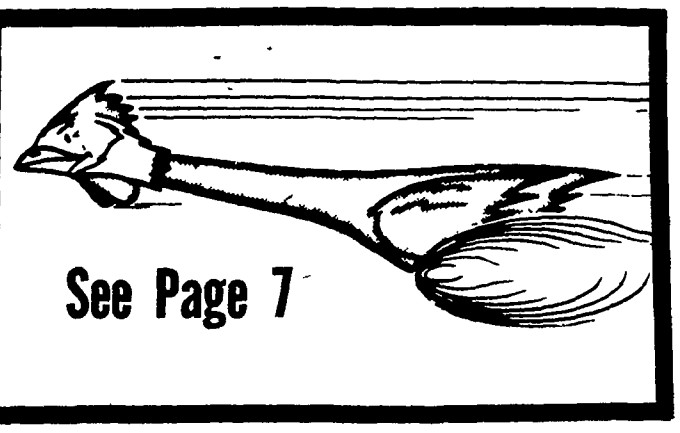

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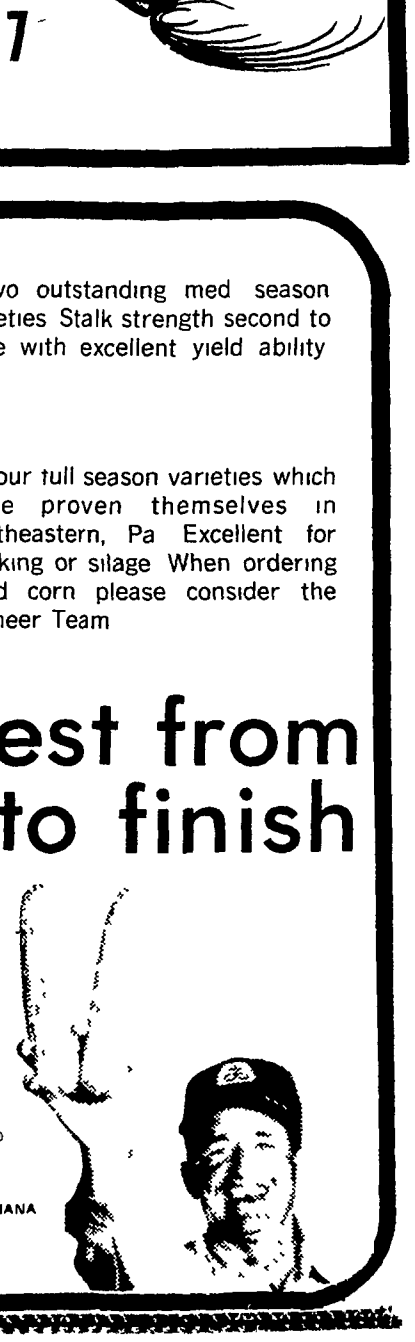

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Farm Calendar

Sunday, January 13

4:30 p.m. - Bit and Bradoon 4-H meeting, Winpenny's.

January 13 - 17, American Farm Bureau's 55th Annual Convention, Convention Hall, Atlantic City, N.J.

Monday, January 14

7:30 p.m. - Manheim Young Farmers meeting in Ag Room at Manheim Central High School. Topic "Fuel."

January 14-15 - Kansas Formula Feed Conference, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas.

Tuesday, January 15

11:45 a.m. - Lancaster County DHIA Dinner meeting, Farm and Home Center.

7:30 p.m. - Ephrata Adult Farmers meeting and election of officers. Topic - "Tax Changes, Pa. and U.S.", Ephrata Vo-Ag Department.

7:30 p.m. - First seminar on Farm Wiring by Tim Lichtenwalner to be held at Manheim Central Vo-Ag room, sponsored by Manheim Young Farmers.

7:45 p.m. - Dairy Meeting: Milking Technique Seminar. Garden Spot High School Vo-Ag classroom.

8:00 p.m. - Board of Directors of Lancaster County Poultry Association, Farm and Home Center.

Wednesday, January 16

9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. - 1974 Regional Farm Income Tax meeting, Farm and Home Center.

January 16-17 - California-Arizona Alfalfa Symposium, Imperial Country Club, Holtville, Calif.

January 16-18 - National Lamb Feeders Association, Brown Palace Hotel, Denver, Colo.

Thursday, January 17

9:30 a.m. - Vegetable and Small Fruit meeting, Farm and Home Center.

7:00 p.m. - Eastern Lancaster County Adult Farmers welding course, Garden Spot High School Vo-Ag Department.

7:30 p.m. - Second seminar on Farm Wiring by Tim Lichtenwalner to be held at Manheim Central Vo-Ag room, sponsored by Manheim Young Farmers.

1974 Penn Winter Nationals, Indoor tractor pull, Farm Show Coliseum, Harrisburg, January 17-19.

Sunday, January 20

American National Cattlemen's Association, Convention Center, San Diego, Calif, January 20-23.

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More Meat to Eat in '74

Americans will have more meat to eat in 1974 than in 1973, Richard Lyng, president of the American Meat Institute, said recently.

U.S. consumption of red meats this year should be about 180.4 pounds per person, up nearly four pounds per person over 1973, but below 1972 levels, Lyng said at a press conference at the Palmer House, Chicago.

He said that the 1973 meat boycott and price controls have made livestock growers uncertain about future expansion of production. He urged removal of remaining Phase IV economic controls on the meat industry as a signal to livestock producers that the government intends to return to the free market in meat.

"Producer confidence needs to be restored now," he said, "because production decisions being made now will determine our meat supplies later this year and into 1975 and beyond."

Lyng predicted that in 1974 each American would eat 115 pounds of beef, up nearly four and a half pounds from 1973; 61.5 pounds of pork, down slightly from last year; 2.6 pounds of lamb and 1.3 pounds of veal, about the same as in 1973.

"Supplies of beef and pork will probably be quite tight at times during the first half of the year," Lyng said. "But more beef and pork should start coming to market during the second half of 1974."

He cited some favorable indicators for 1974 meat supplies such as a record and high quality feed grain harvest in 1973, the forecast of a mild winter and government assurances of adequate allocations of fuel to farmers and the food industry.

Lyng said that there will be strong demand for meat in 1974, so prices will be firm and probably will average higher than in 1973. But they will not reach the peak prices of last summer.

Bucher Is MC of Conference

The Planning Committee of the 9th Annual Southeastern Dairy Conference takes pleasure in announcing that the Master of Ceremonies for this year's event will be Robert P. Bucher, manager, Agri Loan Department for the Commonwealth National Bank. Well known to area farmers, the Lancaster County native has worked nine years with agricultural lending firms.

This year's event will be staged at the sales barn on Route 30 East of Lancaster beginning at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, February 5th. Coffee and doughnuts will be available from 8:30 a.m. until 9:15 a.m. for early arrivals and lunch will be served to all at Noon.

All dairymen and their families and interested parties are invited for an interesting and enlightening day. The program will be concluded at 3:15 p.m.

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Banks Recognized for Agricultural Service

The Pennsylvania Bankers Association has received the Annual Agricultural Award of the American Bankers Association it was announced recently.

Merrill L. Mordan, president and trust officer of The First National Bank of Honey Brook, and chairman of the bankers association Agricultural Committee, announced receipt of the award on behalf of the more than 400 banks in Pennsylvania.

He said the award was made for keeping banks informed on changes in agriculture, informing farmers and the agribusiness complex on available financial services and engaging in rural community service programs.

Mordan pointed out that "banker association activities through the years have played a prominent role in helping banks remain the largest lenders to agriculture."

On January 1 of 1973 Pennsylvania banks were helping farmers with $433 million in loans.

Mordan added that the award is also recognized of efforts by banks to provide that 'extra' service to the state's farmers.

This is the thirtieth year that the bankers association has received the national award, indicating the continuing interest on the part of banks in a sound agricultural economy.

CONSIGNMENT SALE
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16, 9:30 A.M.

Location ½ mile north of Route 23 on North Maple Ave. in Leola, Lancaster Co Pa.

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Monday, January 21, 1974
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Located at the corner of Charlestown and Prospect Roads. Take Prospect Road South off Rt. 30 Bypass east of Columbia, to Charlestown Road, or take Central Manor Road to Charlestown Road. Just past Herr's Fruit Farm. Lancaster County Pa. Look for Sale Signs.

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USED EQUIPMENT — IH Rear Mount Mower, J.D. 5' and Sunshine 5' Rotary Mowers, Horne Stalk Beater, AC C2 Gleaner Combine w/Corn ¾ Grain Heads; AC E Gleaner Combine w/Grain Head, AC #500 4-row Corn Planter, AC 2-row Corn Planter (snap coupler); Two IH 4-row Corn Planters; 3 and 4B. Slat B. Plows, (snap couplers); AC 2 B. Roll-over 16" Plows, 2 J.D. Discs, (1 transport) Case Drill, Sp. Harrows, IH Loader, IH 140 Manure Spreader and N.H. 145 Flail Spreader, Acorn Barn Cleaner, J.D. #6 Harvester, Gehl Blower, AC, Grove and Farm Hand Forage Boxes, Farm Hand Corn Blurr, 24-ft. Cross Elevator, 3-pt. Blade, Century Sprayer.

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Nancy Mays Repeat Entymology Winner

Nancy Mays, of 1212 Nissley Road, Lancaster, for the second straight year, topped all entries in entomology classes for first-year members at the 58th Farm Show.

Winner in competition for second-year members was Brian Werkheiser, of 533 E. Main St., Bath, Northampton County. Alan Mays, brother of Nancy, also a former 4-H entomology winner, captured top honors for third-year members.

The section for fourth and fifth-year members was won by Alice Slippey, of RD2, Duncansville, Blair County. Alice won the same honor at last year's Farm Show.

All 4-H projects were judged in county competition prior to being entered in Farm Show classes.

PUBLIC SALE
VALUABLE 24 ACRE FARM
SATURDAY, JANUARY 19, 1974
at 10:00 A.M.

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100 DRAFT HORSES and MULES

At the Lebanon Valley Livestock Market Sales Barn, 28 miles east of Harrisburg, Pa., 4 miles east of Jonestown, Pa., on U.S. Highway 22. Turn off Interstate 78 at Fredericksburg, exit 1.

FRIDAY, JAN. 18, 1974
11:00 A.M.

50 MULES

1 Sorrel Jack with light points, 4 years old; 1 Black Jack; 2 Sorrel Jennets; 4 pair Sorrel Mare Mules, 4 years old, broke; 1 pair Sorrel Horse Mules, coming 4 years old, stand 16 hands, worked on an Amish farm this summer; 10 pair Sorrel Mules, coming 3 years old; 1 pair Black Horse Mules, 3 years old; Gray Mare Mule, coming 3 years old, stands 16.3 and is broke; 1 pair Sorrel Horse Mules with white stripe in face, 2 & 3 years old; 2 Horse Mule Colts; Some Good Single Mules, 1 pair Appalossia Mules stand 51", broke to ride and drive; 2 Coon Hunting Mules.

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Reg. Belgian Stallion, Orndorff's Marcus Sam, 4 yrs. old, red roan stripe in face, light mane & tail; Reg. Belgian Stallion, 7 yrs. old, red sorrel with white mane & tail; 1 pair Reg. Belgian Mares, coming 4 & 5, blonde stripe in face, white mane & tail, pasture bred after Aug.; Reg. Belgian Mare, bred; Reg. Belgian Mare, 3 yrs. old, Sorrel, broke to work; 2 Reg. Mares, 2 yrs. old; Sorrel Fillie Colt can be Reg., an upstanding colt, 1 pr. Red Sorrel Geldings, 8 yrs. old, stripe in face, light mane with long tails, stand 18 hands, weigh 2,000-lbs. each, broke, have won many prizes at shows; 1 pr. Red Roan Mare & Gelding, 6 & 7 yrs. old, well broke, weigh 3,800-lbs.; 1 pr. Red Sorrel Geldings, 5 & 6 yrs. old, broke; 1 pr. Black Horses, 3 & 4, have been hitched; Blonde Gelding, 4 yrs. old, with lots of style, white mane & tail, broke; 25 Geldings & Some Mares in foal, some are well broke.

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Dairymen Honor Dexter N. Putnam

Dexter N. Putnam, professor of dairy science extension at The Pennsylvania State University, has been named winner of the 1973 Pennsylvania Dairyman's Association Award of $100 and an inscribed plaque "for valuable and noteworthy contributions to the state's dairy industry."

The award was presented to Mr. Putnam January 8 at the association's 103rd annual meeting in Harrisburg as part of the 58th Farm Show.

Since his appointment to the Penn State faculty in 1956, the award winner has been in charge of Dairy Herd Improvement Association data processing. In this capacity he serves as liaison between the Dairy Science Extension Section and Penn State Data processing Center.

The dairy specialist developed new techniques to improve efficiency in production testing programs. Through his efforts, Pennsylvania became the first state to adopt the Test Interval Method of calculating DHIA records, and the first state to provide the Alternate AM-PM Monthly Testing Program.

The two new milk testing services were developed to save DHIA supervisors time and continue to maintain accurate records. Following final adoption of these two programs, a Central Milk Testing Laboratory was established on the Penn State campus to test all of the state's DHIA samples.

Mr. Putnam also has the responsibility of designing all forms for DHIA records. He teaches supervisors, diarymen, county agents, and dairy service personnel how to interpret the data provided and how to use if for effective dairy herd management.

A native of Massachusetts, the award winner received his bachelor of science degree from the University of New Hampshire and master of science degree from West Virginia University, both with a major in dairy science.

FHA Allocates Loaning Funds

The allocation of rural development loan funds for Pennsylvania for fiscal year 1974, will amount to $76,605,000, Penrose Hallowell, State Director of the Farmers Home Administration (FHA), announced recently.

Through FHA, the U. S. Department of Agriculture serves farmers, rural residents and towns of up to 10,000 population with farm ownership and operating, housing and community facility loans. In towns below 50,000 or open country, loans are available to develop business and industry.

Current allocations for FHA's farmer programs in Pennsylvania provide $5,000,000 for farm ownership loans and an additional $4,500,000 for farm operating loans. No apportionment of funds was made for farm emergency loans because of the proviso that "emergency loans in amounts necessary to meet the needs resulting from natural disasters" would be provided.

Under the community services programs, allocations have been made in four separate categories: $22,090,000 for water and waste disposal loans; $2,315,000 for community facilities loans; $8,215,000 for business and industrial loans; and $385,000 for industrial development grants.

Apportionments for FHA's rural housing program were divided between single family dwellings and rural rental housing. The allocation of housing funds for low interest loans to low income families designated $8,050,000 to be used for loans to purchase and renovate existing dwellings and $7,000,000 for construction of new homes. $16,050,000 was provided for regular, full interest individual housing loans.

Rental housing loan funds of $3,000,000 are divided so about two-thirds goes for units with subsidized rents, the remainder for units with regular rent payments.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd, 1974

Real estate; Farm Machinery; Hay; Straw; Corn ensilage; Alfalfa seed; Tools.

REAL ESTATE

Tract No. 1 consists of 80 acres more or less improved by a 2½ story frame dwelling; kitchen; dining room; living room; 4 bedrooms and bath on second floor; attic; full basement with oil fired baseboard hot water heating system; large bank barn with 28 stanchions; 80' x 124' metal free stall loafing barn; 20 x 60 and 18 x 56 poured concrete silos both have distributors and unloaders; block dairy; 2 story garage & chicken houses.

Tract No. 2 consists of 45 acres, 120 perches more or less which has bank barn; garage; chicken and hog house. These two farms join each other which have stream and springs. There is approximately one mile of hard road frontage ideal for building lots; near schools; churches; stores and expressway. These farms will be offered separate and as entire unit. Can be inspected any day except Sundays by appointment. Phone 717-235-3447. Will be offered 2:00 p.m. day of sale.

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4th, 1974

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FARM MACHINERY, TRUCKS

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Public Sales Register

SAT. JAN. 12 - 10 A.M. Public Sale of dairy cows, Farm Equipment, New Hardware, Household Goods and Antiques located North of Fairmont Rest Home, along Good's Drive near Fiandas Mill, between Hinkletown and Farmersville, Lancaster County Pa. Sale by Daniel Z. Zimmerman; T. Glenn Horst and Paul Horst, Auctioneers.

SAT. JAN. 12 - 1:30 P.M. Public Sale of Feeder Pigs located 1 mile South of Richland. Sale by Paul M. Zimmerman; John E. and Paul E. Martin, Auctioneers.

SAT. JAN. 12 - 12 Noon Public Sale of Trucks and Feed Mill Products located along Rte. 23 at East End of Morgantown, Pa. Terms by Ira Nissley, Inc.; Elton Horning, Auctioneer.

SAT. JAN. 12 - 1:30 P.M. Public Sale of 200-250 Feeder Pigs located 1 mile south of Richland, 3 miles south of Myerstown on Rt. 501, turn east at County House Restaurant, follow sale signs. Terms by Paul M. Zimmerman, Myerstown RD2; John E. and Paul E. Martin, Auctioneers.

SAT. JAN. 12 - 11 o'clock A.M. Public Sale of Real Estate and Personal Property located along Route 896, 1 mile North of Georgetown, 5 miles South of Strasburg, Bart Twp., Lancaster County, Pa. Sale by Maurice S. Welk; Kersey A. Bradley, Auctioneer.

Wrapping With Wire Protects Evergreens

During winter water loss through the leaves of evergreens can be reduced somewhat by wrapping the evergreens loosely with large-mesh chicken wire. This prevents winter winds from passing freely through the evergreen branches and reduces the sweating process peculiar to plant life.

WED. JAN. 16 - 9:30 A.M. Consignment Sale located ½ mile north of Route 23 on North Maple Ave. in Leola, Lancaster Co., Pa. Sale by David H. Good, F. Snyder, R. Martin and C. H. Wolgemuth, Auctioneers.

THURS. JAN. 17 - 12 Noon Melvin Kolb, Inc. Monthly Holstein Cattle Auction at his Maryland Farm Sale Barn, located one-half mile Northwest of Woodsboro, on Route 550, Frederick Co.

FRI. JAN. 18 - 9 o'clock (Blizzard Date Fri. Jan. 25) Erway's Complete Dispersal located at Coudersport, Pa., Potter Co. on Route 6. Eugene and Dana Erway, Owners; Carl Diller and Everett Kreider, Auctioneers; Rockwell's Livestock, Sale Mgrs. D. O. Rockwell, Prop., Troy, Pa.

FRI. JAN. 18 - 11 A.M. Public Sale of 100 Draft Horses and Mules at the Lebanon Valley Livestock Market Sales Barn, 28 miles east of Harrisburg, Pa. 4 miles east of Jonestown, Pa. on U. S. Highway 22. Turn off Interstate 78 at Fredericksburg, exit 1. Sale by Paul S. Waltermyer, RD1, Jonestown, Pa. 17038; Wilbur Hosler, Auctioneer.

SAT. JAN. 19 - 12 Noon Public Sale Horses, Equipment and Tools and Full Line of Carpenter Tools located one mile south of Lancaster Mennonite High School, at 341 Gridley Road, Lancaster, Pa. Sale by Jonathan Zook, owner; Abe Diffenbach, Auctioneer.

SAT. JAN. 19 - at noon Public Auction at Rudnick's Dairy Barn, Galena, Md. 44 Giksteub DHIA Dairy Cows. Consigned by Lynch Farm Enterprises of Centreville; Joe Rudnick, Auctioneer.

SAT. JAN. 19 - 1:30 P.M. Public Sale of Approx. 400 Feeder Pigs located 3 miles N.E. of Bethel, off Route 22, behind Trainer's Midway Diner, Terms by Adam Martin; George E. Stone, Jr. and John D. Kilmer, Auctioneers.

SAT. JAN. 19 - 10 A.M. Public Sale of Valuable 24 Acre Farm located 4 miles West of Manheim, 1 mile West of East Fairview Brethren Church. Take Hosler Road to Valley Rd., first farm on Valley Rd., Rapho Twp., Lancaster Co., Pa. Sale by Jacob Dupler Estate, Leroy Dupler, Executor; C. H. Wolgemuth, Auctioneer.

SAT. JAN. 19 - 12:30 Wilson Farm Dispersal at Presho, off Rte. 15 north of Lawrenceville. Auction by Rumseys' of Bath, N.Y.

MON. JAN. 21 - 11 A.M. Nissley Farm Service Inventory Reduction Sale located at the corner of Charlestown and Prospect Roads. Take Prospect Road South off Rt. 30 Bypass east of Columbia, to Charlestown Road, or take Central Manor Road to Charlestown Road. Just past Herr's Fruit Farm, Lancaster County, Pa. Look for Sale Signs. Sale by Nissley Farm Service; C. H. Wolgemuth and H. Shaffner, Auctioneers.

WED. JAN. 23 - Paul Z. Martin's Farm Equipment Sale located 2 miles East of Intercourse, Pa. along Route 340

THURS. JAN. 24 - 11 A.M. Public Sale of 65 Head of Holstein Dairy Cows, Farm Machinery, Trucks located along road leading from Colebrook to Mastersonville, 1½ miles south of Colebrook, 4 miles north of Manheim. Take Route 72 to Mt. Hope Mobile Homes, take Cider Press Road to Colebrook Road. Watch for Sale Signs. Terms by Paul G. Shirk; Frank and Paul Snyder, Auctioneers.

FRI. JAN. 25 - 1 P.M. Public Sale of 240 Head Hogs and Pigs on the premises located one mile North of Leola, Penna., on Route 772. Terms by David A. Martin; Frank L. Steller and Robert E. Martin, Auctioneers.

MON. & TUES. JAN. 28-29 10 A.M. Two Day Public Sale of Farm Machinery and Construction Equipment located So. Race St., Myerstown, Pa. Sale by Wenger's Farm Machinery, Inc.

JAN. 31 - 10 A.M. Public Sale of Dairy Herd Dispersal, Dairy Equipment, Grain to be held on the farm located at RD2, Lebanon, Lebanon County, Pa. To get to farm go North from Lebanon along Route 343 known as 7th St. or turn south off Route 22 onto 343 at Fredericksburg and proceed appx. 5 miles to farm. Watch for sale signs. Conditions by Kapp Smith and Curt Stoltz; Harry H. Bachman, Auctioneer.

FRI. FEB. 1 - Sale 10 A.M. Dairy Cows 12:30 P.M. Clean Sweep Public Sale, Moving to Missouri, located 8 miles east of Honey Brook, 2 miles north of Route 322, 5 miles south of Elverson, just east of Route 82 from the Pump House Antique Shop. Wallace Twp., Chester Co., Penna. Sale by Henry O. Martin, Owner; Abe Diffenbach, Auctioneer.

SAT. FEB. 2 - 11 A.M. Public Sale of 28 Holstein cows, full line of Equipment and some household items located between Gordonville and Paradise just off Rte. 30. Sale by Earl and Lenora Jones; Carl Diller and J. Everett Kreider Auctioneers.

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PAUL Z. MARTIN'S
FIRST CONSIGNMENT

FARM EQUIPMENT Sale

FOR 1974

Wed., Jan. 23, 1974 at 9:00 a.m.

Located 2 miles East of Intercourse, at intersection of Route 340 and New Holland Road, 4 miles South of New Holland.

TRACTORS
Large Equipment of All Kinds
Horse-drawn Equip., Dairy Equip., Tools, Lumber, Hay and Straw

Largest consigner and buyer will be given a Savings Certificate.

We have Buyers for Hay and Straw - Our Commission $1 per ton.

SALE ORDER: Small Goods, 9 a.m.; Hay and Straw, 12 noon; Tractors, 1 p.m.; followed by Larger Equipment. Notice NO POULTRY EQUIPMENT. Open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. January 21 and 22 and Sale Day.

PAUL Z. MARTIN

Blue Ball, Pa. Phone: 717-354-6671
Business: 717-768-8108

MARTIN AUCTIONEERS and Associates
R. W. Horst, H. H. Leid and John Fry
NEXT HORSE SALE — JANUARY 30 at 12:00 noon
Equipment, 1974 SALE DATES
February 27 and March 27

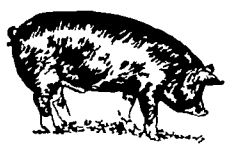
Notice Change of Dates on account of other conflicting sales.

Public Sale

FRIDAY, JANUARY 25, 1974

WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC SALE ON THE PREMISES, LOCATED ONE MILE NORTH OF LEOLA, PENNA., ON ROUTE 772.

240 HEAD



HOGS & PIGS

120 HEAD OF PIGS
Weighing from 70 to 80 Pounds

100 HEAD OF PIGS
Weighing 40 Pounds
All Home Raised

20 GILTS READY TO FARROW
Sale to start at 1:00 p.m.
Gilts are Vaccinated for Erysipelas and Lepton

Terms by
DAVID A. MARTIN

Frank L. Steller, 656-9055 and
Robert E. Martin, 656-7770 - Auctioneers
Donald Steller, Clerk
Not responsible for accidents.

ERWAY'S COMPLETE DISPERSAL

Friday, Jan. 18, 1974

AT 9:00 O'CLOCK
BLIZZARD DATE — FRIDAY, JAN. 25, 1974

142 Head Registered & Grade Holsteins 142

134 REGISTERED 8 GRADES

74 young milking age animals, 40 fresh, many milking 70 to 80 lbs daily 10 fresh by sale date, balance Feb-Mar. 32 bred back for fall freshening, "majority to Elevation". 5 Registered bred heifers, 18 Registered open heifers, 42 Registered 2 months 1 yr. old heifer calves 3 Registered Bulls — 1 Bootmaker, 2 Unique.

SIRE POWER — CURTISS — CANADIAN — ABS SIRES

R.H.A. 1973 — 75.7 Cows 13,493 M 485 F

INTERSTATE TESTED CATALOGUES PREGNANCY CHECKED

Sample of Some Tops Selling:

3 KINGPINS — 1 a 5 yr with 3 records over 20,000 M, bred Nov 3 1973 to Elevation — Kingpin dtr as 3 yr, 305 d, 15,533 M, 4 2 T, 649 F, fresh July 20 1973, due July 1, 1974 to Elevation — Kingpin dtr as 4 yr 355 d, 16,494 M, 635 F, fresh April 1973, due April 10 1974 to UNH President King

PACLAMAR IVANHOE BLACK EAGLE dtr, 3-11, 361 d, 16,843 M, 636 F, due Jan 13, 1974 to Ideal Fury Reflector from V G. 87 Marquis dam 2 records over 15,000 M Bootmaker son sells, 1 yr old

FOREST LEE ROCKETTE CENTURION dtr, fresh June 11, 1973, est 14,900 M, due July 6, 1974 to Elevation From V G Marquis dam, records over 17,000 M Dtr sells, open by Allendairy Maration, dtr, Citation R Maple, born June 11, 1973

OAK RIDGES ROCKMAN MARK dtr 2-5, 306 d, 16,762 M, 4 2 T, 706 F due Jan 10, 1974 to Citation R Maple. 1st 2 yr. old at Potter Co Fair 1973, 1st Senior yrl. - Junior Champion 1972 Her Dam—Cresent Beauty Triumph, 2 records over 17,000 M, 4 15 T Has Sept 8 calf by Unique 2 other dtrs, 1 by Marvelea Marquis Rock EX, born July 11, 1972—1st senior calf and Junior Champion, 1 by Hay First Minister, fresh July, est 11,355 M, due Aug to Elevation. 1st Senior calf 1972, Reserve Junior Champion

DEE ANN. SILVER TIM dtr, fresh Oct 23, milking 75 lbs daily, bred back to Haigertlee Tara Hills Ruben. 3 dtrs. sell: 1 - Conner Hill Ivanhoe Leader, 1 - Paclamar Astronaut, 1 - Round Oak Rag Apple Elevation

SEILING ROCKMAN dtr from Lassie Leader dam, 2-7, 314 d., 13,559 M, 453 F, due Jan 8, 1974 to Citation R Maple

2 ROYBROOK STARLITE dtrs — "2 yr olds" due July 1, July 6 to Elevation

20 Registered HEIFER CALVES born July - 1973 Sell.	20 Granddaughters of Romandale Reflection Marquis EX

SEMEN and SEMEN TANK SELLS

11 ampules Round Oak Rag Elevation, 7 Paclamar Bootmaker, 3 UNH President King, 2 Paclamar Astronaut, 6 Rowntree Northern Prince, 6 Romandale Telstar Justin, 10 Citation R Maple, 5 Collins-Crest Paclamar Seven J, 7 C Romandale Shalimar Magnet, 8 Skagvale Hattie Maple, 5 Paclamar Citation, 1 Agro Acres Unique, 3 Tidy Burke Transmitter, 10 Flettdale ELV Star, 4 Glenafton Rag Apple Hagen 33 Haigertlee Tara Hills Ruben, 1 Ideal Fury Reflector

LOCATION:

at Coudersport, Pa.
Potter Co. on Route 6

MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT SELLS

2 Tractors—J.D. 4020 Diesel, J.D. 4000 Diesel; J.D. 5-bottom semi-mounted plows, J.D 24T baler, J.D. 4-row plateless planter, J.D. 16-ft. disc with transport wheels, J.D 13-hoe disc drill, J.D. field sprayer, J.D self-propelled picker-sheller, J.D. 3 pth plows, N.H. 717 Super forage chopper with 2-row corn head, N H. forage chopper with grass head, N.H 460 Haybine, N I. Cut-Ditioner, N.H. Skelton elevator, N.H. spreader, Farmhand rake, 2 tractor harrows, one 3 pth; culti-mulcher with transport wheels; numerous other items sell.

TRUCKS

4 TRUCKS 1971 White V-8 Trend Model 1200 series with 16-ft. hydraulic dump box, 1964 GMC V-6 4000 with Grove hydraulic self-unloading box, 1963 Ford V-8 with Grove self-unloading box, 1959 International with hydraulic dump box All inspected, GMC, Ford, International with farm licenses. All 4 speed transmissions with 2 speed axles.

PRODUCE

10,000 bales first cutting hay, 2,000 bales second cutting, 230 tons Corn silage

FERTILIZER

5 tons 11-22-22 — 4 tons other corn fertilizer.

SEEDS

Seven 50-lb sacks Timothy and Clover — four 60-lb sacks Alfalfa

MILK EQUIPMENT

No 75 DeLaval milker pump, 3 DeLaval milker units, dumping station with 125 ft glassline, 600-gallon DeLaval milk tank.

HARVESTORES

1 — 20 x 60 with Goliath Unloader
1 — 20 x 40 with Hercules Unloader

SALE MGRS NOTE You will find top quality dairy cattle with best of bloodlines and many nearly new pieces of machinery at this dispersal. Selling Order at 9 o'clock sharp—small tools and miscellaneous Approx time on other items. 10 o'clock—Produce, fertilizers, seeds, 10:30—machinery, trucks, milk equipment; 11:30—Harvestores, 12:00—Semen, 12:30—Dairy Cattle

TERMS: CASH OR GOOD CHECK SALE DAY

ERWAY FARMS

Eugene and Dana Erway, Owners

CARL DILLER & EVERETT KREIDER, Auctioneers
JEFF WARNER, Clerk

ROCKWELL'S LIVESTOCK, Sale Mgrs.
D. O. Rockwell, Prop. Phone 717-297-3460

SALE HEADQUARTERS: Hotel Crittenden, Coudersport, Pa. 814-274-8320

LUNCH AVAILABLE AT ERWAY RESTAURANT AND DAIRY STORE

Public Sales Register

PUBLIC SALE
DAIRY HERD DISPERSAL, DAIRY EQUIPMENT & GRAIN

JANUARY 31, 1974 10:00 A.M.

To be held on the farm located at R.D.2 Lebanon, Lebanon County, Penna. To get to farm go North from Lebanon along route 343 known as 7th St. or turn south off route 22 onto 343 at Fredericksburg and proceed approximately 5 miles to farm. Watch for sale signs.

140 HEAD 140
COMPLETE DISPERSAL

33 Registered Balance Grades
85 milk cows 45 head to freshen from Nov. to sale time.
14 due Jan.
10 due Feb. 15 bred heifers due by sale.
40 Head Yearlings & Open Heifers

Sires represented: Lassie Leader; Astronaut; Ivanhoe Star; Ivanhoe Jack.

These cows are in a high state of production and are currently by housed in a loose house operation.
Charts Available — Pregnancy Examined
Catalogs — Sale Under Tent
1250 GAL. SUNSET BULK TANK with washer and 2 5 H.P. comp. Appx. 1 yr. old.
Sta Rite dumping station with pump, SP 22 Surge vac. pump, 2 Sunbeam cow clippers, 2 Rawleigh barn foggers, 10 insulated rubber buckets, 12 can front loading cooler, strainers, buckets, feed carts, 10 calf individual wooden stalls, 10 Badger cow stalls, 9 Surge milker units and miscellaneous dairy supplies.
500 Ton of Haylage and Corn silage
(in silo with unloader)
65 ton high moisture corn
15 ton straw
Sale order: Grain, dairy equipment and supplies, Cattle. Here is an outstanding opportunity to purchase cattle that have not been overfed and are in a high stage of production. You'll like what you will see in this herd of cattle.

CONDITIONS BY:
KAPP SMITH
CURT STOLTZ

Harry H. Bachman - Auctioneer
Ed Arnold - Announcements
Lunch by the Fredericksburg Church of the Brethren

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SAT. FEB. 2 and MON. FEB. 4 - 10 A.M. Each Day Public Auction Two Day Sale of Valuable Farm; Registered and High Grade Holstein Dairy Herd; Milk Equipment; Farm Machinery; Hay; Wheat and Barley straw; Corn ensilage; Tools. Located on the premises 10 miles south of Hanover via route 216; 4 miles west of Glen Rock; Turn off of route 83 on exit two Glen Rock Exit on to route 216 through Glen Rock to Route number 516 turn right on Rockville Road, farm is located on corner of Rockville and Ressler Road in Codorus Twp. York Co., Pa. (watch for arrow signs) Sale by Mr. & Mrs. John Ressler-owners, RD1 Glen Rock, Pa.; David W. Shrodes, Auctioneers.

SAT. FEB. 9 - 2 P.M. Public Sale of Valuable 52 acre farm at RD3, Manheim, Lancaster Co., Pa. Sale by Mark E. and Linda Brandt; C. H. Wolgemuth, Auctioneer.

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Quarryville Pa 17566
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THURS. FEB. 12 - Public Sale of Farm Tools, machinery and equipment located one mile north of Goodville, Pa. East Earl Twp., Lancaster Co., Pa. Sale by Amos H. Weaver; Elton Horning, Auctioneer.

FRI. FEB. 15 - 9:30 A.M. Public Sale of Horses, mules, dairy cows and heifers, full line of horse-drawn farm equipment located midway between Greentree and Quarryville, 1 mile south of Route 372 along Hallow Road on farmer King farm. Sale by Christ S. Miller; Abe Diffenbach, Auctioneer.

SAT. FEB. 16 - 11:30 A.M. Public Sale of Good Farm Machinery located along U. S. Route 1, 2 mile southwest of Rising Sun. Maryland. 8 mile south of Oxford, Pa. 6 mile east of Conowingo Dam. Terms by George T. MacDonald, J. Everett Kreider and Carl Diller, Auctioneers.

SAT. FEB. 16 - Public Sale of Farm Implements, Dairy Equipment and Livestock located ¼ mile south of Terre Hill behind Terri Hill Silo Co. off Rte. 897 in East Earl Twp., Lancaster County, Pa. Sale by Ben Zimmerman; Leroy S. and Paul W. Horst, Auctioneers.

SAT. FEB. 16 - 11 A.M. Public Sale of Modern, Like New Farm Machinery located off Rte. 272 along Smithville Road midway Smithville and Retton, southwest of Refton off Rte. 222. Sale by Laverne L. Mylin; Lloyd H. Kreider, Auctioneer.

SAT. FEB. 16 - Public Auction, Consignment Sale of farm equipment, located on the Don Scheese farm, New Jersey, thirty minutes east of Delaware Memorial Bridge off of Rt. 40. At junction of Rt. 40 and 77 turn right onto Friesburg Rd., between diner and Municipal building; Approx. 8 miles south of Friesburge Road. Wm. Bragdon, Auctioneer.

WED. FEB. 20 - Paul Z. Martin's Farm Equipment Sale located 2 miles East of Intercourse, Pa. along Route 340.

WED. FEB. 20 - Public Sale of Registered and Hi-Grade Holstein Dairy Cows and Farm Equipment located between Myerstown and Rehrersburg, Pa. Terms by Abner W. Oberholtzer, John E. and Paul E. Martin, Auctioneers.

THURS. FEB. 21 - 10:30 A.M. Public Sale of Farm Equipment, Horses and Mules located along Gordonville Road by Jacob S. Esh; Carl Diller and J. Everett Kreider, Auctioneers.

SAT. FEB. 23 - Public Sale of Full Line of Farm Equipment located approx. ½ mile East of Elverson, Pa. between Rte. 23 and 401 along Brick Lane Road. Sale by Christian L. Stoltzfus; Elton Horning, Auctioneer.

SAT. FEB. 23 - Public Sale of Farm Equipment located between Ephrata and Lititz. Terms by Ivan N. Good, John E. and Paul E. Martin, Auctioneers.

SAT. FEB. 23 - 11:30 A.M. Public Sale of Farm Equipment and some Household Items located 1¼ miles Southeast of Columbia at Franklin Road and Blue Lane, Manor Twp. Sale by Irvin D. Witmer; Carl Diller and J. Everett Kreider, Auctioneers.

FRI. MARCH 1 - Public Sale of Farm Equipment and Household Goods located at East End of Churchtown just off Rte. 23 behind Sauders Blacksmith Shop. Sale by Floyd Ringler; Elton Horning, Auctioneer.

SAT. MARCH 2 - Public Sale of Farm Equipment, Household Goods and Livestock located between Churchtown and Morgantown approx. 1 mile North of Rte. 23. Go north off Rte. 23 at Twin Valley Bible Chapel then first road right. Sale by Daniel S. Stoltzfus, Jr.; Elton Horning, Auctioneer.

SAT. MAR. 2 - Public Sale of Farm Equipment and Farm Crops located between Lititz and Manheim along Doe Run Road, 1 mile west of Erb's Mennonite Church. Sale by Ivan B. Zimmerman; John E. and Paul E. Martin, Auctioneers.

MON MAR. 4 - Public Sale of Farm Equipment located on Brubaker Valley Road, between Rtes. 322 and 501. Sale by Kenneth L. Siechrist; John E. and Paul E. Martin, Auctioneers.

MON. MARCH 4 - Public Sale of Complete Registered Holstein Dairy Herd located 2 miles North of Lebanon just off Rt. 343 on Heffelfinger Road. Terms by Bare Bros.; R. Austin Backus, Mexico, N. Y., Auctioneers.

FRI. MAR. 8 - Public Sale of Farm Equipment, Hardware and Shop Tools located 3 miles north of Churchtown, Pa. Terms by Ivan N. Hoover, Narvon, Pa. Ralph W. Horst, Auctioneer.

SAT. MAR. 9 - Sale of Farm Equipment and Community Consignment Sale by Binkley & Hurst Bros., located just north of Rothsville. John E. and Paul E. Martin, Auctioneers.

THURS. MAR. 14 - Complete Dairy Dispersal and Farm Machinery Sale located South of Annville along Rte. 934. Sale by Lloyd Early; Harry H. Bachman, Auctioneer.

WED. MARCH 20 - Paul Z. Martin's Farm Equipment Sale located 2 miles East of Intercourse, Pa. along Route 340.

WED. MAR. 27 - Public Sale of Farm Equipment located north side of Scheafferstown by Marlin Martin. John E. and Paul E. Martin, Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 6 - 9:30 A M. C. H. Wolgemuth & Sons Annual All Day Sale located 4 miles West of Manheim, Lancaster Co., Pa. Tractors, Farm Equipment. Anything sold on Commission

MELVIN KOLB, INC.

MONTHLY HOLSTEIN CATTLE AUCTION

Thurs., Jan. 17, 1974 - 12 noon

At my Maryland Farm Sale Barn, located one-half mile Northwest of Woodsboro, on Route 550, Frederick Co.

100 HIGHEST QUALITY HOLSTEINS 100

REGISTERED GRADES

Attention Dairymen:
Improve your herd with Top Quality Holsteins; individually selected for Dairy Type and High Production from Outstanding Herds in Canada, New York State, Wisconsin, and Pennsylvania. Many Classified and many with Official Records. Included are:

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These Cattle are from 2 to 5 years of age, the best of Quality, all Fresh or Close. Many top Sires not mentioned individually.
They will be producing up to 100 lbs. of milk daily. All Cattle must be as represented. Cattle will be tested within 30 days of Sale for TB and Bangs for interstate shipment.
Several Purebred Heifer Calves will be sold.
Terms: Cash on day of Sale
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All cattle hand picked for type conformation and perfect udder development most of them with good production and B F records NOTE Will deliver from 4 head to a carload subject to your approval to your farm at anytime

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Dairy Cattle Auction Sale 3rd Friday Night Every Month
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717-569-6800
Park Myers, Sales Mgr Private Sales Daily

PUBLIC SALE

SATURDAY, JAN. 19, 1974

Located one mile south of Lancaster Mennonite High School, at 341 Gridley Road, Lancaster, Pa.

HORSES

Two Year old Saddle Bred horse, green broke, good size, with papers; One carriage horse; One buggy horse.

EQUIPMENT AND TOOLS

Market wagon; carriage; sleigh; two horse spring harrow; dirt scoop; two wheelbarrows; Hyd. Jacks; Ext. ladder; wire stretcher.
Black and Decker H-D saw and drill; pipe dies and cutters; ladder jacks;

FULL LINE OF CARPENTER TOOLS

Shovels; forks; hog feeder; new bushel crates; driving harness;

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Old fashioned corner cupboard; kitchen combine; two rope beds; ext. table; jelly cupboard; Monarch range; chairs; play pen; closet; old clock; jars; crocks; heater; misc. items;

Sale at 12:00 Noon

Jonathan Zook
Owner

ABE DIFFENBACH, Auctioneers
ABE DIFFENBACH JR.

Mail Box Market

For Sale - 50 ton Alfalfa and mixed hay 2nd and 3rd cutting no rain; home grown cabbage; Yorkshire service age boars and bred gilts; Caloric conservator coal and wood heater with thermostat; Oliver 214 trip bottom plow on steel; Roasting chickens, ducks and geese. A. K. Beiler, RD3 Quarryville, Pa. Mt. Eden Church West.

Wanted to buy - An Ebersol Straw cutter to fit a 22 in. Frick Thrashing Machine. Must be in good shape. Manilius A. Miller, RD2, Box 351, Dover, Del. 19901

For Sale - Steam boiler, 38 flues on truck including pans. Phone 717-933-8441

Mail Box Market

For Rent - Farm house, no electricity Free rent for taking care of heifers and horses after February 1, 1974. John K. Beiler, Quarryville RD3, Pa. 17566

For Sale - Wagon with unloading apron $275; 2-bottom plow $100; Cultimulcher $195; 6' disc $175; Mow Bar $195; Straight Disc $125. Call 201-329-2765 evenings.

Frame barn and tobacco shed to be removed from premises located in Salunga. Call 898-8932

For Sale - Live new 12-20 KW Winpower generator on trailer. Call 626-8219

Wash Your Own Cage House and Save $$$
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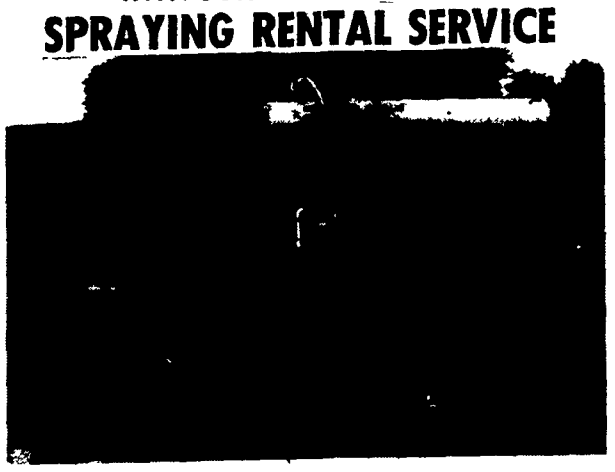

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For Sale - 20 lb. mesh window paper potato bags; also a few 10 and 50 lb. bags. N. L. Oberholtzer, Jr., East Eby Rd., RD1, Leola, Pa. 17540 Call 656-8036

Wanted - 4" x 4" x 7' square locust posts. Phone 717-566-2585

For Sale - Model VE4 Wisconsin engine with aircraft generator welder $200; roller bearing top buggy good condition $650; set of 35 Zane Grey books $35. 5 H.P. Wizzard rotatiller like new. Call 215-445-5423

For Sale - Pure. unheated honey, 60 lb. cans $31.50. John Rhodes, Stevens, Pa. (Location - Red Run)

For Sale - 100 bu. of ear corn price $65.00 per ton at crib. Call after 7 P.M. 1-215-932-8866

For Sale - Purebred German Shepherd puppies. Elam S. Beiler, first farm right on South Ronks Road

For Sale - Herd of 33 Holstein milk cows. Some registered. Phone 927-6580

For Sale - 46 acres of woodland on Ridge Road or Denver-Reinholds Road, $9900.00. Phone 215-267-5360

For Sale - 1 family cow will freshen soon. Reuben Reiss, Lititz RD4, Middle Creek Road

Wanted - Angus Holstein Cross bull for breeding 700-900 lbs. For Sale 350 lb. Surge Units and straps. Write to David R. Stoltzfus, Narvon RD2, Cambridge Road or call 768-8620

Wanted - Rabbit pens. Phone 717-933-8281

Mail Box Market

For Sale - New Holland Manure Spreader 130 bu. PTO; 1967 ½ ton Chev. pickup. Phone 215-286-5362

Wanted - Seed cleaner. State size, condition and price. Phone or write Alvin F. Kruger, Georgetown, Dela. RD1, Box 55, Phone 302-856-2292

For Sale - A.C. WD 45 diesel, fuel pump needs work; with cultivator, A.C. front mounted grass mower, and Cunningham crimper. Can use mower and crimper together. Phone 665-5855

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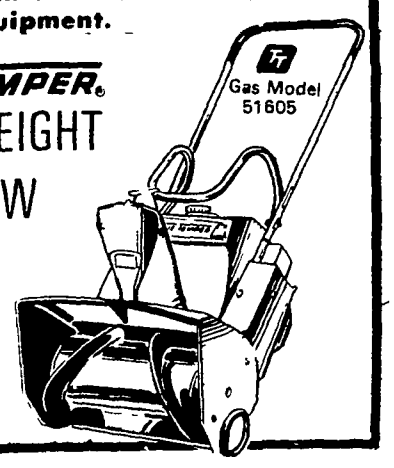

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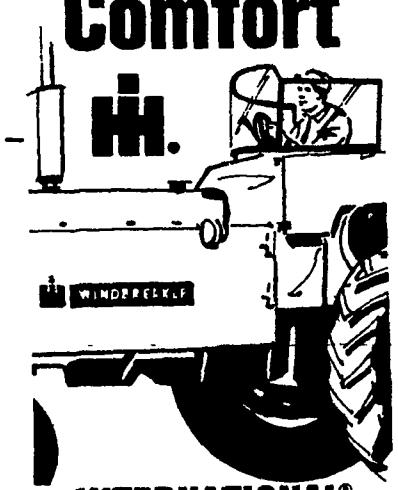

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Farm Show

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shown by David Coble, of RD1, Hershey, Dauphin County. Richard P. Sholley, of Jonestown, Lebanon County, exhibited the reserve champion.

SPOTTED SWINE -- Richard P. Sholley, of Jonestown, Lebanon County, showed the champion Spotted Swine, and Clair Hartman, of Gratz, Dauphin County, exhibited the reserve champion.

HAMPSHIRE -- The champion Hampshire was exhibited by Charles Bomegardner, of RD3, Annville, Lebanon County. Reserve champion was shown by Terry Bennecoff and Son, of Kutztown, Lehigh County.

BERKSHIRE – Dennis L. Grumbine, of Myerstown, Lebanon County, exhibited the champion Berkshire, and Clayton H. Lazarus and Sons, of Whitehall, Lehigh County, showed the champion Yorkshire. The reserve champion was exhibited by Edward H. Oswald, of Slatington, Lehigh County.

DUROC – Clyde W. McConaughey, of Smicksburg, Indiana County, exhibited the champion and reserve champion in Duroc classes.

LANDRACE -- Harold Mummert, of Seven Valleys, York County, had the champion gilt in Landrace classes. Jay Blatt, of Annville, Lebanon County, showed the reserve champion.

Tobacco

What could be billed as the Harrisburg edition of the Lancaster County Tobacco Show was topped this year by a pair of very familiar names. Roy M. Rohrer, Strasburg RD1, showed the grand champion wrapper sample, while grand champion filler honors went to Arthur E. Reist, 1050 Eden Road, Lancaster.

In 4-H competition, Alfred G. Reist, Arthur's twin brother, exhibited the champion wrapper, and Arthur, the champion filler.

Roy Dohner, Elizabethtown RD1, won the championship in vocational wrapper judging competition, and James Risser, Lancaster RD2, won in vocational filler classes.

Corn

York County corn producers captured three championships in corn judging competition at the Farm Show.

Samuel E. Conley, Etters RD1, captured championships in the 10-ear hybrid dent and 30-ear hybrid dent classes in District I. Robert Kilgore, Airville, exhibited the championship 10-ear single cross hybrid in District II competition.

Donald J, Wack, of RD1, Zelienople, Butler County, showed the top 10-ear hybrid dent exhibit, and Shawn Henley, Lebanon RD3 with a 10-ear open pollinated exhibit, won in statewide competition.

Daniel A. Brubaker, Ephrata RD1 Lancaster County, captured the 30-ear open pollinated championship.

A York County youth, Glenn Crowl, Airville RD2, exhibited the top sample in District 1 4-H competition. And an Airville RD1 youth, Richard Kilgore, won the District 1 FFA championship in hybrid dent corn classes.

Honey

The York County Beekeepers Association placed first in the collective county honey exhibit at the Farm Show. The York County group makes its headquarters at York RD5.

C. Edward Graybill, of 432 W. Orange St., Lititz, Lancaster County, took the championship in the individual exhibit division.

The top specialty pack was exhibited by Daniel A. Brubaker, of RD1, Ephrata, Lancaster County, and the best exhibit of comb honey was shown by Fred Rich, of 225 · Rittenhouse Road, Royersford, Montgomery County. The best exhibit of extracted honey was exhibited by Earl V. Miller, of RD3, Dover, York County.

In 4-H honey competition, area youths captured two of the top four placings. John Brenner, Lititz RD3, Lancaster County, won the white extracted class, while the light amber extracted sample was exhibited by Matthew Miller, Dover RD3, York County.

Donald Weidman, 1818 Kembrook Road, Lebanon, captured first place FFA honors for his amber extracted example. Another first prize in FFA competition went to William Spahr, Dover RD1, for his entry in the dark amber extracted division.

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Free Folder Offered By 'First Step'

A free folder for parents, "Understanding Your Child", is available from FIRST STEP, a developmental disabilities aid and identification program being conducted by the Pennsylvania Association for Retarded Citizens.

"Understanding Your Child" was written and produced by FIRST STEP to give parents some general guidelines for the measurement of their child's development. It explains what should be done if it is suspected that a child is not developing as he should, and contains basic information on infant programs, and what a parent can expect from infant stimulation.

The importance of identifying and helping special children in the critical first few years of life is the emphasis of FIRST STEP, and the newly available folder is part of a year-long continuing education program for parents, persons interested in special children, (either professionally or personally) and infant-toddler program employes and directors. Additional materials will be made available from time to time.

Seminars for professionals, parents, and interested lay people will be held throughout the state – the first on February 5 at the Penn Harris Motor Inn, Camp Hill. Following the seminars, efforts will be made to contact parents of infants and children with suspected developmental disabilities through publicity and public service advertising.

Parents, or parents groups who would like a copy of "Understanding Your Child" are asked to write: FIRST STEP, c-o Pennsylvania Association for Retarded Citizens, 127 Locust Street, Harrisburg, Pa., 17101, or their local ARC unit.

The FIRST STEP program is a one-year project Federally funded by The Developmental Disabilities Council through Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare. Pennsylvania residents wishing to learn more about FIRST STEP may write to the Pennsylvania Association for Retarded Citizens, 127 Locust Street, Harrisburg, Pa., 17101.

Ice Capades Start At Hershey Feb. 5

Hershey, Pa. - The shining new 34th edition of Ice Capades for 1974 is coming to Hersheypark Arena on February 5 for a 12-day engagement.

Ice Capades opens with shimmering mirrors and heavenly moods in the production entitled "Reflections," featuring the corps de ballet in the brilliant mirror-trimmed costumes designed by Bill Campbell. Sarah Kawahara, in her debut with Ice Capades, skates a fluid interpretation of the Judy Collins hit, "Clouds." Then Peter and Barbara, plus Susan and Reid, form a unique and new adagio quartet, performing synchronized lifts and spins to the music of "Lost Horizon."

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